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COLLETT NOT AT M'COY FARM, IS CLAIM

Meandering Along the Main Stem

By WASH FAYETTE

This is really "hell week" for Mrs. Stella Fortier, deputy clerk of courts.

Stella is one of the pledges of the Gradale Sorority and is being initiated this week.

It happens that she must work right in the midst of the Collett trial, jury, witnesses, reporters, attorneys, and those who have other business in the office. That's where the embarrassment comes in.

At all times she must have with her a huge doll baby and a feeding bottle, wear a bow of white ribbon on her hair in lieu of braids, and add a safety pin to her lapel each day of the week.

She must wear different colored hose all week, and is not allowed any make-up or nail polish.

Here is what she is required to collect and bring in at the conclusion of "hell week"—James Collett's signature, mailbox, souvenir from foreign country, one phonograph record; six different cigarettes, napkins from the Goody Shoppe, Arlington, Mad-dux's, Wright's and Campbell's restaurants with autograph of the owner or waitress, a piece of red, blonde and brunette hair, signature of the policemen, firemen or the new city manager.

An ominous warning is attached to the bottom of the list of things the pledges must do during the week, that is enough to make 'em tremble in their shoes. It reads:

"If you do not do these things you will have to take the consequences!!!!"

As busy as she is I fear Stella is going to have to take the consequences on some of the things required of her during "hell week."

Here are a few sidelights on Fayette county's first triple murder trial:

Court Bailiff Richard Ramsey, spraining his right leg severely on the slippery street, has been walking with a pronounced limp;

Bob McNemar, reporter for the Wilmington News Journal, was at the press desk in the court room Tuesday afternoon and accompanied the court and attorneys to Wilmington to report that angle of the case there;

Members of the senior class of the Bloomingburg High School were present for one session of court Tuesday, but being unable to obtain seats, left with the intention of returning early for another session.

Judge Paul T. Clapp of Troy, candidate for Court of Appeals in the second district, was a visitor in the court room Tuesday;

The jury is using the office between the north and south offices of the clerk of courts, where chairs have been placed for their convenience and the jury files in and out at the west door of the court room;

Formal opening and closing of court is carried out by Court Bailiff Richard Ramsey, with everyone in the court room being required to stand during the opening and closing, and

Two men who seemed unaware that they could not wear their hats in the court room were caught flat-footed by Court Bailiff Ramsey, Monday, and when he signaled them, they hurriedly removed their head gear. A few persons who started smoking in the court room were quickly informed that no smoking was allowed.

GAG ON ARGENTINE PRESS REFLECTS NAZI INFLUENCE

MONTEVIDEO, March 8—(AP)—Commenting on Argentine measures against United States news organizations, the Montevideo newspaper La Razon observed yesterday that Nazi news agencies apparently continued to operate freely in Argentina, despite the break with the Axis.

"At the same time that it is formulating promises of American solidarity, the Argentine military government takes action contradicting such statements," the publication said.

STAR AWARDED STAR

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Algiers, March 8—(AP)—Lt. Comdr. Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., received the Silver Star today for his work during the Salerno landing.

MULTIPLE PLANS BEING OUTLINED FOR AFTER WAR

Fight for Life of OPA Is On In Congress and Axe Out For Appropriations

WASHINGTON, March 7—(AP)—Diplomatic machinery to lay foundations for the post war world has begun rolling, with at least ten international conferences now on the state department calendar or in preparation.

Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius announced yesterday Great Britain and the United States would discuss petroleum questions in Washington soon.

The projected American pipeline from the Persian Gulf to the Mediterranean is expected to loom large in the talks.

Next on the schedule probably will be the United Nations monetary conference, under treasury department sponsorship, for which Pinehurst, N. C., has been mentioned as a likely site.

Treasury representatives already have held preliminary talks with the British, Russians, Canadians and several others on the possibilities of establishing an international currency unit and stabilizing world money. "Unitas" and "Bancor" have been proposed as names for the world unit.

Plan Is International

Definite plans for the international labor office meeting in Philadelphia on April 20 were announced today. The ilo was set up as an adjunct to the League of Nations and moved its headquarters to Montreal when the war broke out. President Roosevelt now faces the quandary of appointing a labor member for the United States delegation who can represent both the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of industrial organizations.

The United Nations food and agriculture interim commission has about completed its report on a food board, and when the draft has been approved by the member countries, the first meeting of the council will be held. The commission was set up by a United Nations conference at Hot Springs, Va., last summer.

OPA In Fight For Life

The White House may seek closer harmony between leaders of the two major political parties as a step toward persuading congress to continue the Office of Price Administration (OPA) in its present form.

This report was circulated in the capitol today as it was announced Price Administrator Bowles would meet informally with senate banking committee members Friday to discuss OPA extension plans. No legislation has been introduced as yet to extend the agency past its expiration date—June 30—but it is expected shortly.

There have been warnings (Please Turn to Page Two)



SAILING OUT of his crippled air transport plane over an Indo-Burmese jungle, Lieut. Stanley W. Akers, 21, above, of Phoenix, Ariz., encountered a wild elephant which gouged him with its tusks. Akers escaped and made his way to a hospital. (International)

HOUSES WILL MOVE TO CAMP BY WATER

No Flood, Transportation on Ohio River

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va., March 8—(AP)—Thirty housing units soon will start on a 577-mile barge trip down the Ohio River from Point Pleasant.

Neighborgall & Leach, Inc., of Huntington, has contracted to remove 60 houses from a federal housing project here to Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

The houses will be transported by water to Uniontown, Ky., and from there overland to Camp Breckinridge.

A second train of 12 barges bearing the remaining 30 houses will move later.

ALIBI DEFENSE IS BEING SET UP ON TIME TABLE

Witness Called To Give Car Mileage To Show It Had Not Been That Far

Defense counsel for James W. Collett, on trial for his life in the triple McCoy slayings last Thanksgiving eve, called a series of witnesses Wednesday morning to establish a time chart in an attempt to prove Collett was not at the McCoy farm that night. The time of the shootings has been placed at about 9 P. M.

Dr. Neil H. Myers, Wilmington veterinarian, testified Collett called him the night of the killings between 10 and 10:30 P. M. about a sick horse.

The following Sunday (two days before Collett was taken into custody for questioning), Myers testified he saw Collett at the home of one of Myers' neighbors in Wilmington.

"He asked me if I remembered if he had called Wednesday night," Myers related. "I told him I did. 'Do you have any idea of what time it was?' Collett asked."

Myers said Collett then added, "No doubt everyone connected with the case will be questioned."

Defense Attorney Charles Kirk then asked Myers directly, "Did he say he was going to be questioned?"

Myers answered "he said no doubt everyone would be questioned that had any connection with the family."

James W. Conover, barber at Harveysburg, about four miles from Collett's farm, said Collett got a haircut in his shop between 2 and 6 P. M. the day of the slayings and Sabin McDonald, Harveysburg barber, recalled Collett stopped about 7:30 P. M. to inquire if Charles Doster, a feed merchant, would be open that night.

"I told him he could ask at the garage," McDonald testified.

Marvin L. Chambers, Wilmington service station attendant, testified that on November 24 Collett brought his car in for an oil change and that the speedometer read 11,667 miles.

Chief Defense Counsel James M. Linton has said he would show that Collett did not cover the 38 miles between the Collett and McCoy farms the night of the slayings.

The state rested late yesterday after using 19 witnesses and two and a half days of testimony during which it insisted Collett would benefit from the deaths of his wife's brother, Elmer McCoy, 59; Mrs. Forrest McCoy, 64, and their daughter, Mildred, 22, but asked permission today to reopen its case.

Opening Delayed

Court was delayed 30 minutes in opening, Wednesday morning, when the car driven by Allen Smith and Charles Kirk, defense attorneys, developed trouble at Sabina.

Another capacity audience was on hand, and some of the spectators were present when the doors of the Court House here were opened by the janitors.

Collett, brought into the court room by Deputy Sheriff Frank Grubbs, asked if "my attorneys are here," and informed that Linton was in the conference room, spent the 30 minutes with him until court was nearly ready to open.

When Kirk and Smith appeared in the Court House, Kirk was carrying two shotguns which later were offered in evidence.

Immediately after court opened Prosecutor John B. Hill asked that the state be permitted to reopen the case for one witness who was not present Tuesday

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Yanks Hit Berlin Again As Reds Surge On in Mud



WITH EVERY FURIOUS Allied raid upon Berlin, thousands of the city's residents are made homeless. The necessities of life such as shelter and food are hard to obtain. This woman is asking a Nazi soldier to help her recover some of her possessions from her blitzed home. The photo was received here through a neutral channel. (International)

Yanks Tighten Grip On Pacific Islands

By RICHARD C. BERGHOLZ
By The Associated Press

Sixth Army troops in the southwest Pacific are filling in the details implied by Gen. Douglas MacArthur's statement a week ago that "the end of the Bismarck campaign is now clearly in sight."

The bloodless occupation of an important anchorage and possible air base in the bypassed eastern Marshalls just has been disclosed by the Central Pacific command.

The Atoll is Majuro, considered so important by the Germans when they owned the islands before the first World War that they made it their major base.

Headquarters now discloses that Majuro was taken early in February, without opposition from its four Japanese occupants, giving the Americans an entering wedge into the eastern Marshalls.

The 2-by-six mile island has a lagoon which can accommodate all classes of warships and a strip of land suitable for building an airfield. Captured intact was a concrete headquarters building equipped with electric lights. The Japanese left the building virtually completed except for installing windows which were found stacked against the walls.

Los Negros Controlled

Today's Allied communique reported Sixth Army units have gained control of Los Negros island in the Admiralty group, have leap-frogged up the north coast of New Britain to within 170 air-line miles of Rabaul and have driven up the south coast of New Britain to within 50 air-line miles of Gasmata.

Covered by an air umbrella but not by naval bombardment, first division Marines attached to Lt. Gen. Walter Krueger's Sixth Army swarmed ashore Monday at Wilaumez Peninsula on New Britain's north coast and immediately drove toward Talasea, five miles distant, where the Japanese once had an emergency landing strip. Rifle fire was the only opposition to the landing.

Sixth Army infantrymen who landed at Arawe on New Britain's south coast December 15 launched an offensive which has carried them 24 miles up the coast toward Gasmata, once-important Japanese supply and emergency air base.

Momote Airdrome, quickly-won prize of the Admiralty islands in (Please Turn to Page Six)

PETTY THIEF PICKED UP WITH \$1,335 IN POCKETS

WASHINGTON, March 8—(AP)—A well dressed 65-year-old retired business man—with \$1,335 in his pockets when arrested—was booked today on two charges of petty larceny, specifically taking 15 cents from one newsstand and attempting to snatch 25 cents from another.

Leo Davis, thrice before convicted on similar counts, was held for trial on April 6 after pleading innocent.

NEW ASSAULTS ON BEACHHEAD BELIEVED NEAR

Political Maneuverings in Balkans Stepped Up As Nazi Set-backs Increase

By The Associated Press

American heavy bombers showered more than 350,000 incendiaries and 10,000 explosive bombs on wounded Berlin today.

Great swarms of American and British fighters flew over the Fortresses and Liberators, seeking out industrial plants still standing in the stark ruins of Berlin. They also aimed at bringing to battle the German air force, the better to establish air domination for the coming invasion.

It was the fourth American daylight operation over the German capital.

RUMANIANS IN FLIGHT

BERN, Switzerland, March 8.—(AP)—The latest advances by the Russian army have led to a new flight from Bucovina province of Rumanians who forced their way to trains despite government orders against travel, it was reported today.

lin district in eight days and the eighth time in 10 days that the American heavies had given battle. On Monday, a force of perhaps 2,000 bombers and fighters plummeted 2,000 tons of bombs on Berlin and destroyed 176 German fighters in the process.

The German radio told of fresh Russian successes in the critical battle of the Ukraine, quoting the high command as saying "grim battles continue against strong enemy forces which have broken into German lines."

Russia's First Ukrainian Army fought today against some of the worst ground conditions of the Russian-German conflict but still the Red forces rolled on, seizing a firm hold on the Odessa-Warsaw railway and moving to within 70 miles of the important industrial and rail city of Lwow.

In a mire of mud, the Russians have ploughed on, resorting to the use of long lines of sledges hitched behind tanks. Tommy-guns were piled into the sledges and tanks, which cut through the muddy Ukrainian fields to reach the roads behind the enemy lines.

Field dispatches said the Germans had congregated large forces of infantry and tanks, seeking to hold their communication lines in the Ukraine.

On top of the warmest winter in many years, a sudden spring thaw has turned the Ukraine into thousands of square miles of very heavy, sticky mud.

British bombers in heavy force pounded rail yards at Lemans, 110 miles southwest of Paris last night, after a day in which Allied planes from Italy dug up marshalling yards and airfields at Rome, the French naval base of Toulon and the Italian Riviera port of San Stefano.

The term "strong force" in the (Please Turn to Page Six)

OHIO'S PRISONERS DO WAR WORK TOO

Two-shift Work Days To Fill War Contracts

COLUMBUS, March 8—(AP)—Ohio's prisons, their populations smallest in years, have gone on a two-shift work day to fulfill their war production contracts, Welfare Director Herbert R. Mooney reported today.

The number of inmates in the four prisons for adults decreased from 8,753 on January 1, 1941, to 7,449 the first of this year and Mooney and Warden Frank D. Henderson of Ohio Penitentiary attributed the drop principally to absorption of men by the armed forces and also to better employment opportunities.

World War II has not affected the number of inmates at the State Reformatory for Women, but it has changed the type of prisoner, Mooney said.

"The women being sent to Marysville today are not so clean," he said. "In fact they are of a decidedly low character. Many more now are being sent there for contributing to delinquency."

VALLEES MAKE UP

Band Leading Singer Says Divorce Called Off

LOS ANGELES, March 8—(AP)—Rudy Vallee's lawyer says the singer-bandleader and his bride have cancelled divorce plans announced Monday.

Attorney Ray Sandler announced yesterday that the Vallees are dwelling happily together again and issued the following statement in behalf of the musician:

"After considering the circumstances and in view of the fact that we are very much in love, Betty Jane and I have decided to continue with our marriage."

ANTI-INVASION DEFENSES ON DUTCH COAST SPOTTED

LONDON, March 8—(AP)—A sally by light British naval forces close to the coast of Holland has disclosed that anti-invasion defenses along the German Atlantic will now include short-range rocket guns and automatic cannon for pointblank fire against assault craft.

90,000 WARPLANES MADE BY BRITAIN DURING WAR

LONDON, March 8—(AP)—British Production Minister Oliver Lyttelton, disclosing hitherto secret figures on British war production, told Commons today that Britain had produced more than 90,000 planes from the beginning of the war to the end of 1943.

BRITAIN EYES ARGENTINA

LONDON, March 8—(AP)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told the House of Commons today that the British government would continue to maintain a guarded, watchful attitude toward Argentina until the political situation there is clarified.

NOXON TRIAL IS HALTED AGAIN BY JUROR'S ILLNESS

PITTSFIELD, Mass., March 8—(AP)—Illness of a juror today caused a second suspension of the trial of John F. Noxon, Jr., Pittsfield corporation lawyer, charged with the electrocution murder of his six-months old mentally deficient son, Lawrence.

LAKE SHIPPING STARTS

CLEVELAND, March 8—(AP)—The steamer Paratex opened the port of Cleveland yesterday when it arrived here bearing a gasoline cargo after fighting high winds and plunging through three hours of ice for one of the harbor's earliest openings.

EASTER ORCHIDS FOR GIRLS AT HOME

Overseas GI's Ordering Easter Flowers Now

NAPLES, March 8—(AP)—If Helen E. Irwin of Granville, O., has her way about it a lot of American women are going to wear orchids Easter Sunday—many of them for the first time.

The girl, a Red Cross worker in Italy, is acting as intermediary in placing Easter flower orders for American troops at a Red Cross club. She is aiming the orders to the U. S.—to be filled at the proper time.

The girl says the GI's have shown a preference for orchids, though roses, gardenias and other cut and potted flowers are on their "mailing list".

WOUNDED WAR HERO LOSES ELECTION TO NEW DEAL FOE

DENVER, March 8—(AP)—A 59-year-old Republican business man defeated a retired World War II hero for Denver's vacant congressional seat at Tuesday's special election to become this district's first GOP representative since 1932.

Dean M. Gillespie, truck dealer and oil man and avowed foe of government "bureaucracy" received a margin of 2,978 votes over his Democratic opponent, Maj. Carl E. Wuertele, 30, on the basis of unofficial tabulations.

The vote, heavier than had been anticipated, was: Gillespie 41,418, Wuertele, 38,440.

"I think that the results of government 'bureaucracy' (Please Turn to Page Six)

COAL OUTPUT IN WALES CURTAILED BY STRIKE

LONDON, March 8—(AP)—The flow of coal from Welsh mines on which British war industries are largely dependent dwindled to a trickle today as a wage strike spread steadily throughout the area and there were indications that production might be halted entirely by nightfall.

WEEK'S RAIN HELPS CROPS BUT CAUSES SOME FLOODS

COLUMBUS, March 8—(AP)—This week's heavy rainfall, generally welcomed by Ohio farmers plagued by a winter drought, closed many roads in southern counties of the state today and threatened to inundate some residential areas.

Meteorologist George W. Mindling said Circleville would have a 15 foot crest today, one foot over flood stage, as the Scioto went out of banks and that Pike-

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CAUTION URGED BY GRANGES IN FARMER DRAFT

Petitions To Be Sent To County, State, National Selective Service

Five petitions, asking "extreme caution" by selective service in re-classifying men deferred because of agricultural work, will be sent from each of the seven Granges in the county.

One petition goes to the Selective Service Board here, and one is sent to the national and state Selective Service headquarters and to the national and state Grange headquarters.

So far, Madison Good Will, Marshall and Good Hope Grange have signed the petitions. Loren Hynes, county deputy and father of the petitions, said he was meeting 100 per cent cooperation. "There are no adverse ideas," he said. Selden, Pomona, Fayette and Forest Shade Granges have had no meetings yet this month but Hynes anticipates similar response from those organizations.

Pointing out the government asks farmers to produce more food in 1944 and at the same time asks re-classification of farm workers, the petitions already in the hands of the Selective Service Board will be considered at a meeting of the group within the next two days.

The Farm Bureau, while taking no action here, has discussed the re-classification, W. W. Montgomery, county agent, said today. He illustrated with a hypothetical situation when a farm hand, employed on a farm producing 30 units, would quit his work there and start working on a farm which raised enough crops to make him directly responsible for producing 16 units.

The petition sent by granges to the Selective Service Board reads: "After having produced record crops the past two years with equipment that is rapidly wearing out, and for the most part not replaceable, and handicapped by the acute shortage of good farm labor, it is with dire misgivings that the farmers of Fayette County approach another year of preparation, planting, cultivating and harvesting.

"We are again being asked by our government to produce even more in 1944.

"To do this the farmers of Fayette County must have three things, namely, as much or more manpower, a good growing season, and more and better machinery. The failure to receive any one of these three will result in a very material decrease in harvested crops.

"The farmers of Fayette County are truly soldiers of production, fighting the enemy every working day, in producing essential food products for our military and civilian population and for the United Nations.

"Therefore this Grange is now petitioning your selective body to proceed with extreme caution in re-classifying any person now deferred from military service by reason of being engaged in agriculture.

"Failure to do this will result in the collapse of agriculture in this fertile county."

HARRY JANES FUNERAL SERVICES HELD TUESDAY

Funeral services for Harry L. Janes were held at the late residence in Jeffersonville Tuesday at 2 P. M. There were many flowers at the largely attended services.

Rev. E. R. Rector, in charge of the services, read the two hymns, "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me."

Palbearers were Howard Haines, John Reese, Fred Reese, Russell Hidy, Dean Straley and Donald Porter. Burial, in Jeffersonville Fairview Cemetery, was directed by the Alvin G. Little Funeral Home.

MULTIPLE PLANS DRAFTED ON INTERNATIONAL BASIS FOR POST-WAR WORLD

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from several congressional quarters however, that the move to carry OPA along as it is now will meet strong opposition. Many members are seeking changes not the least among which is an amendment which would end the payment of food subsidies.

Axe Out For Budget

Republicans are getting out the axe for the \$500,000,000 deficiency appropriation bill which contains funds for the federal works agency. Rep. Taber, of New York, ranking minority member of the appropriations committee, announcing he will attempt to trim about \$75,000,000 from the FWA, said that even the remainder would be "too much" but added: "it will leave them little money for such things as beauty parlors to save the time of women war workers."



WHEN THE NAZIS ejected 10,000 Italian civilians from Anzio and Nettuno, Prince Stefano Borghese (above), 32, scion of an ancient Italian family, opened his 14,000-acre farm to the refugees. Now that the Allies control the area, he has been appointed mayor of the two cities by the Allied Military Government. (International)

Weather

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

Chalmers Burns, Observer
Minimum, Tuesday, March 7, 28
Maximum, Tuesday, March 7, 42
Snow, Tuesday, March 7, 1.5
Minimum, Wednesday, March 8, 21
Maximum, Wednesday, March 8, 35
Precipitation this date 1943, 0
Precipitation this date 1942, 0

DAILY TEMPERATURE CHART

Albany, N. Y., clear	32	30
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Bismarck, N. D., clear	31	30
Buffalo, N. Y., clear	30	30
Chicago, Ill., clear	32	30
Cincinnati, Ohio, clear	32	30
Cleveland, Ohio, clear	32	30
Columbus, Ohio, clear	32	30
Dayton, Ohio, clear	32	30
Denver, Colo., clear	32	30
Detroit, Mich., clear	32	30
Duluth, Minn., clear	32	30
Fort Worth, Tex., clear	32	30
Houston, Tex., clear	32	30
Indianapolis, Ind., clear	32	30
Kansas City, Mo., clear	32	30
Los Angeles, Calif., clear	32	30
Louisville, Ky., clear	32	30
Miami, Fla., clear	32	30
Mpls.-St. Paul, Minn., clear	32	30
New Orleans, La., clear	32	30
New York, N. Y., clear	32	30
Oakland, Calif., clear	32	30
Pittsburgh, Pa., clear	32	30
Toledo, Ohio, clear	32	30
Washington, D. C., pt. cloudy	32	30

FAMED CRUISER LOST IN ITALY INVASION

LONDON, March 8—(P)—The Admiralty announced today the loss of the famed cruiser *Penelope*, which became known as "HMS Pepperpot" after she was scuttled by 2,000 shell fragment holes in the battle of Malta.

The *Penelope* was lost with the cruiser *Spartan* and the destroyers *Janus* and *Ingfield* in the establishment and maintenance of the Nettuno bridgehead in Italy. Commons was informed by A. V. Alexander, first lord of the Admiralty. Loss of the other vessels was announced previously. Five major assault vessels also were bridgehead casualties, Alexander said.

ALLIED SHIP LOSSES SHOWING BIG DROP

LONDON, March 8—(P)—Allied convoy losses were less than one ship in 1,000 in the second half of 1943. First Lord of the Admiralty A. V. Alexander told Commons today.

He warned, however, Admiral Karl Doenitz' U-boats "will try and try again to stage a comeback."

Alexander disclosed officially the Mediterranean route to the East is in full use and said its reopening "is worth about a million gross tons, and the liberation of North America and Italy together have brought in half as much again in actual ships."

DRY LEADER DIES

MT. VERNON, Ia., March 8—(P)—Dr. Thomas Nicholson, IWN president of the Anti-Saloon League of America from 1921 to 1932 and retired Methodist bishop, died last night at his home here.

Nine out of ten American children have one or more decayed teeth by the time they reach the age of six years.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound, a two-week supply, today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 3 tablets once a day for two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by Down Town Drug Co. and other stores everywhere.

26 INITIATED INTO EAGLES TUESDAY NIGHT

Fayette Aerie Surpassed All Previous Membership Records With 1300

Twenty-six new members initiated into the Fayette Aerie of Eagles Tuesday night brought the total membership close to 1300, a record for the aerie here.

The lodge had set out to surpass all previous membership records and has met its goal in three months less time than was at first set for the campaign, it was said.

District Director Ray Ballenger of London was present for the initiation ceremony which was conducted by the Eagle degree team, R. B. Tharp, R. W. Hays, Albert R. Bryant, H. E. Cook and Trox Farrell.

Those initiated are: Richard R. Bryan, Delbert E. Carr, Howard R. Cochran, Marion J. Cokerill, William E. Cutlip, Leslie C. Curpatrick, Richard Elliott, Ora A. Fitzpatrick, Joe W. Fout, Harold L. Hammock, Denver Hargrove, Charles K. Huff, Walter L. Hurt, F. O. Jenkins, William F. Kuhlman, R. L. Michael, James Murray, Charles Puckett.

Theodore L. Scholler, Joe C. Shackelford, Robert Speakman, Leonard W. Turner, Richard L. Whaley, John David Coffey, James Secrest and Theodore Clemens. A lunch, prepared by W. B. Hyer, was served after the meeting.

COLLETT NOT AT M'COY FARM IS DEFENSE CLAIM AS ALIBI BEING SET UP

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afternoon, and the request was granted by the court.

James A. McCoy, with the armed forces and a student at Ohio State University, was the witness. He is a nephew of Elmer McCoy and Forrest McCoy, and son of Dr. J. A. McCoy, one of the administrators of the McCoy estates.

Questioned by Prosecutor Hill, the witness related what he had found in Mildred McCoy's automobile when he examined it Thanksgiving Day, and what disposition was made of five sacks of potatoes and other property found in the car, including two suitcases, one of which was carried into the house by himself and the other by Mrs. Collett. He said he saw Mildred's hat and purse on a table in the house. There was no cross-examination, and the state rested its case.

Physician's Testimony

Attorney James N. Linton then asked that the testimony of Dr. Elizabeth Shrieves, taken in Wilmington in the presence of the court, attorneys, Collett and the court stenographer, be admitted, and the court reporter, Miss Marie Melvin, was asked to read it from the witness stand.

The testimony read by Miss Melvin was in response to questioning by Kirk, and the witness stated that she had been the Collett physician for 40 years. She recalled that Collett had slipped while loading a barrel of oil in 1933 and cut a gash under one eye. Also that in 1937 defendant fell from a load of hay, went to an osteopath physician for treatment, later came to her, and she sent him to a Cincinnati physician who treated him and made the plastic collar Collett has been wearing.

The witness testified that Collett was subject to colds and catarrh and neuralgia from his injury, having trouble with his shoulder. She said, "Jim had always been nervous and the whole family had always been high strung." She last saw him November 24, 1943, and gave him a general tonic. Certain of the testimony given by Dr. Shrieves was held incompetent by Judge Rankin. There was no cross-examination by the state.

It was disclosed that the testimony was given at the home of

Dr. Shrieves, in her room on the second floor, and that she was sitting up in bed at the time.

Nothing Wrong With Car

The first defense witness placed on the stand after the testimony of Dr. Shrieves was read, was Arthur L. Lindsey, Kingman, auto mechanic in the Brandenburg garage at Wilmington, who, questioned by Kirk, said Collett brought his car to the garage November 3 and said the motor had died several times when he stopped for traffic lights, and asked that it be repaired.

Lindsey said he "road tested" the car, found it working all right, did some minor repairs and made no charge for the work. There was a clash between attorneys as the state objected to certain questions by Kirk. Cross-examined, Lindsey said he had found nothing wrong with the car.

Shotguns Enter Picture

M. L. Bonta, war plant worker, and repair man, was called. At this juncture Kirk brought two shotguns into the room.

Bonta, questioned by Kirk, said he had repaired guns for several years. He identified a double-barreled shotgun as one he had repaired for Collett and that he had changed the stock considerably by shortening and lowering the stock. A yardstick was used in demonstrating and measuring the guns to show the changes. The state's objections as to why Collett wanted the gun changed were sustained.

When the gun was about to be offered by Kirk, Judge Rankin asked that the gun be broken to make certain that it was not loaded, explaining that he always wanted to make certain guns were not loaded and thus avoid accidents. The gun was broken as requested, and showed both barrels empty.

When the gun had been admitted as evidence, Kirk handed it to Judge Rankin who placed it back of the bench.

Kirk then showed the witness another gun, an automatic shotgun which he said Collett had brought to him in November, 1942, when it was apparently a new gun, and asked that it be changed so it would be as near the other as possible, and the change had been made with an adjustable recoil pad on the stock. Defense did not offer this gun in evidence.

Cross-examined by Leis, Bonta demonstrated how the guns were used, and admitted that there was considerable recoil when the guns were fired.

The state then suggested the second gun be offered in evidence as an exhibit.

Car Mileage Checked

Melvin L. Chambers, Wilmington Pure Oil Station employee, told of changing the oil in Collett's car the afternoon of November 24 and marking the speedometer mileage on the service ticket. The ticket was offered in evidence and showed 11,667 miles.

Cross-examined by Leis, Chambers said when Collett left the car he did not leave the switchkey.

Leis produced a ticket made out on the job at the station, which was identified by Chambers. Chambers said he did not inspect the mechanism of the speedometer, and that the car was a 1942 Chevrolet, bearing license number 874 LT, with lights built in the fenders.

He was dismissed by the state subject to recall.

On re-direct examination by Kirk, witness said other cars also had headlights in the fenders.

Alibi Evidence Begins

Following a brief recess during the Wednesday morning session, the defense counsel began bringing in its testimony in support of the alleged alibi by which defense attorneys have announced they expect to prove that Collett could not have been at the McCoy farm on the night of the crime.

The first witness called was Dr. Neil Myers, of Wilmington, a veterinarian. Under direct examination he stated that he had been acquainted with the defendant, Collett, for some time and at various times, over a period of several years, had treated some of the livestock on the Collett farm.

He said that one mare he had treated there several times and that Collett had obtained medicine at his office to give to this mare. He said further that on Wednesday night before Thanksgiving, between 10:00 and 10:30,

as near as he could determine, Collett had called him asking about how he should give the medicine to this horse.

The direct examination was brief and Attorney Simon Leis then took up the cross-examination. The witness, in reply to the state attorney's question, stated that on Thursday, November 25 he had learned about the McCoy murders and under close questioning by Leis said that Collett had called him the previous evening sometime between 10:00 and 10:30, and that he could not be sure of the exact time.

In reply to Attorney Leis' questioning the witness then related that on the following Sunday after Thanksgiving he was at the home of a neighbor, Dr. Ragan attempting to help Mrs. Ragan adjust a water softener. This was in the afternoon about 1 P. M., he said, and that Collett had called there to see him. He stated that he had a brief conversation with Collett in the basement of the Ragan home and later upstairs as they were leaving.

During this conversation Dr. Myers said that Collett had asked him if he remembered what time he (Collett) had called him on Wednesday night. The witness said that after he had told him it was between 10:00 and 10:30, Collett explained his request by saying, "no doubt everyone connected with the family will be questioned about the McCoy murders and I wanted to establish the time I talked with you." The witness also said that Collett had mentioned the fact that maybe there would be a reward offered.

Ed J. Ames, of Clinton County, next called, testified that he had seen Collett on Wednesday afternoon, November 24, about 4:45 P. M. at the Collett farm home when he (Ames) had hauled gravel into the yard. There was no cross-examination.

The next witness was James W. Conover, a Wilmington barber who said that he had known Collett several years, that he had been a customer at times at his shop and that he saw him in the Conover shop Wednesday afternoon, the day before Thanksgiving, sometime between 2 and 6 o'clock when Collett had had his hair cut. On cross-examination he said he could not be sure of the time but that it was between the hours of 2 and 6.

More time was taken in questioning the next witness who was G. M. (Sabin) McDonald who said he was a barber with a shop in Harveysburg and had been in business since 1897.

On direct examination he stated he had seen Collett on the evening of Wednesday, November 24, when he came to the door of his shop and asked if McDonald knew whether Charles Doster would open his place that night. Doster operates a feed and coal store in Harveysburg. The witness said he had replied that he did not know but suggested that Collett go across to a garage nearby and he could find out. He said this conversation took place about 7:30 P. M. and that Collett left immediately afterward.

When cross-examined by Attorney Leis the witness said he had heard of the McCoy murders the following day and that was the reason the incident was fixed in his mind.

In answer to Leis' question he said the time could have been anywhere from 7:15 to 7:30, he could not be exact.

Attorney Kirk for the defense then opened his redirect examination by asking him if the barber shop had a clock. The witness said it had, on the front wall of the shop. Asked if he had looked at the clock, he said he had when Collett had asked him if Doster would open up and that to the best of his remembrance the clock had indicated 7:20 to 7:25.

In answer to another Kirk question McDonald said he was familiar with the road between Harveysburg and Wilmington and that the distance between the center of each place was about 11 miles.

At this point the defense announced that its next two witnesses, Gerald Stevens and Wel-

don Spurlock were not on hands, although subpoenas had been issued. Both Stevens and Spurlock are, or had been, employees of the Pure Oil Company.

Investigation by Bailiff Ramsey and assistants developed that Stevens had reported he was sick and that Spurlock had moved out of the city some time ago, going to Arizona. It further was reported that Spurlock had not been served with a subpoena but that Stevens would be able to attend the afternoon session of court. By reason of this Judge Rankin announced a recess until 1 P. M. Wednesday afternoon.

Another Precedent

Another precedent was established in the Collett first degree murder trial Tuesday afternoon shortly after the state had rested its case at 2:30 P. M. when defense counsel asked for an early adjournment so the court, attorneys and stenographer could go to Wilmington to take the testimony of Dr. Elizabeth Shrieves, family physician of the Collett family, who is critically ill at her home there.

After discussing the proposal with counsel, Judge Rankin, in view of the fact that the state's resting had caught defense without any witnesses ready to testify, dismissed the jury and the court, attorneys and court reporter, Miss Marie Melvin, drove to Wilmington and at the home of Dr. Shrieves on Columbus Street, took the testimony, which was to be read to the jury at the proper time.

Announcement that the state had rested its case came after a brief recess at 2:30 P. M., and immediately thereafter Attorney Linton, on behalf of the defendant, moved that the court rule from the records all of the testimony of Katherine Critchfield, detectives Arthur Eggert and George Eckerman and Sheriff W. H. Icenhower regarding the Collett confession made in Toledo, and then he extended his motion to rule out all testimony regarding Collett from the time he was taken into custody until after December 4.

Judge Rankin immediately overruled the motion.

Throughout the case it has been evident that the defense has sought to establish that Collett's confession that he killed Elmer McCoy Thanksgiving eve was made under duress, and that "Jim" had been mistreated and deprived of his rights.

Testimony Resumed

Cross-examination of Eckerman of Toledo, was continued when court reconvened after the noon recess.

"Jim did not get anything to eat from the time you saw him in the forenoon until in the evening—about what time?" Linton asked of Eckerman.

The witness replied that it was between 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening when food was taken to Collett.

Collett was listening to proceedings with his usual calm, and his face showed nothing but casual interest.

Leis asked Eckerman, on re-direct examination, if he had not taken Collett to the hospital cell because there was a bed in it, and Eckerman replied that he had.

Testimony About Estate

Howard Hurley of Spring Valley, Greene County, was called and questioned by Attorney Charles S. Hire, assistant prosecutor, said he had known Jim Collett all of his life, and had seen him many times in June and July of last year.

He said that in a conversation with him, Collett had said that if it were not for Elmer McCoy's

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daughter his (Collett's) son would inherit the estate.

Collett appeared deeply interested in the statement.

Cross-examined by Linton, who asked if the conversation was not in connection with talking about the death of Elmer's mother last year, Hurley said it was. The witness was excused.

Probate Judge Otis B. Core was placed on the stand and said he was custodian of the records of the probate court.

The records showing the will of James H. Hays, grandfather of Elmer McCoy and Mrs. J. W. Collett, were offered in evidence, and Hire read item six of the will under which the testator gave to Martha J. Hays (later the mother of Elmer McCoy and Mrs. J. W. Collett) 165 acres of land (the McCoy home farm where the murders were committed) for life and then to her heirs and assigns forever.

The will of J. R. McCoy, conveying certain property to Elmer McCoy, also was offered in evidence as exhibit 38.

An affidavit of transfer of property from Mrs. Martha Hays McCoy, one half of the 165 acres to Mrs. J. W. Collett and the other half to Elmer McCoy, was also offered and made one of the exhibits.

The last mentioned affidavit was dated April 16, 1943.

Jesse Hagler, a neighbor and one of the appraisers in the Elmer McCoy, Mrs. Forrest McCoy and Mildred McCoy estates, called by the state, said he had lived in the McCoy community 18 or 19 years and knew McCoy.

Prosecutor Hill asked him as to the value of the McCoy land, and Linton objected, stating that the value was on record in the probate court, and that the state was "going far afield."

"Such evidence is not admissible and would be prejudicial," insisted Linton.

Defense objections were sustained and after state counsel conferred for a short time, Hire asked for a five minutes recess, which was called by the court.

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THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Appearance of specially trained American troops under colorful Brigadier General Frank Merrill, alongside our Chinese colleagues on the battle-field in the devil-haunted, fever-ridden jungles of Burma, gives us an even more intimate interest in the great offensive which is boiling up against Japan from the Allied base in India.

Also it's a reminder that another report on the famine and the political crisis in India is due in this column, since that country is Uncle Sam's main base for southeast Asia. My big inch pipe-line brings both good news and some that's not so pleasant.

First off, the terrible famine conditions have been vastly relieved. Having said this, we find a difference of opinion as to the exact extent of the relief. One Indian source says that despite great improvement people are still dying from hunger. A British official quarter tells me there's now food so that all may eat, although deaths continue from famine diseases and from malnutrition contracted during the foodless days.

Anyway, it's agreed that things are immeasurably better. The great province of Bengal, just across the Bay of Bengal from Burma, has been brought back from a veritable valley of death. There an uncounted host perished, the number being estimated by many observers at hundreds of thousands. Bumper crops and imported food have halted the plague of hunger.

That's mighty important, not only from the humanitarian viewpoint but for military reasons. Big American and British headquarters are in Bengal—not a healthful atmosphere, in view of the famine diseases which swept the province.

The central government took over control of all distribution of food in the great city of Calcutta where the death rate was appalling. People who fled from their foodless countryside to the metropolis were moved back by the military, an operation that gave rise to a curious situation. Many of these primitive natives at first were panic stricken when the army lorries appeared to carry them away. They thought they were going to be slaughtered.

The political crisis between the British government and the Indian nationalists—outgrowth of the home-rule quarrel—appears to be deadlocked. The question of granting dominion status to India has been shelved for the duration of the war—and he would be a daring prophet who predicted that the shelving wasn't indefinite.

Mahatma Gandhi, and some nineteen other leaders who comprised the high command of the all India congress, remain in confinement where they have been since the anti-government disturbances and bloodshed of late 1942. I'm informed that there they will stay until they give guarantees there will be no further trouble if they are released.

Many other natives, of course, are locked up for anti-government activities. These run into the thousands, at least 4,000 of them having been involved in the 1942 troubles.

A government source assures me that things are well in hand and that there's no fear of further disturbances. That sounds like a correct estimate of the position.

The nationalist answer is that the situation is breeding bitterness which may react against

JOSEPH COBERLY DIES SUDDENLY AT HOME HERE

Death Comes Few Hours After Heart Attack; Funeral Friday

Joseph Coberly, 46, died Tuesday at 1:45 P.M. at his home, 429 East Court Street after a heart-attack Monday night.

Coberly had lived in Washington C. H. eight years. He came here from Springfield as a representative of the Pure Oil Com-



Joseph Coberly

pany, with which he had been connected for 15 years.

Since June, 1943, he had been sales representative for the Aeronautical Products, Inc.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, the Fielding Lodge of Masons at South Charleston, Scottish Rite and Aladdin Temple of Columbus, Washington C. H. Shrine Club and Paul H. Hughey Post 25, American Legion.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emily Coberly, two sisters, Mrs. Herman Wealthall of Washington D. C. and Mrs. Ralph Runyan of South Vienna, two brothers, Burt and Frank, of Springfield and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be Friday at 10 A. M. at the Cox and Parrett Funeral Home. Friends may call after Thursday noon. Rev.

the western world in post-war days. As I have reported previously, the Indian crusaders for independence have hooked their chariot to the Atlantic Charter and the Four Freedoms, and are asking whether these declarations apply to orientals as well as to the west.

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RESIDENT PROPERTY SALE IS BRISK HERE

Vacant Houses in City Are Almost Thing of Past

Vacant houses are almost a thing of the past in Washington C. H., surveys by real estate operators' classified advertisements in the Record-Herald reveal, but the sale of city residence property has been accelerated by the scarcity.

One real estate agent, Mac Dews, said that he had sold the following homes recently and made the accompanying notations:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rettig have purchased the modern residence at 919 Briar Avenue, from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox. The Rettigs will occupy their new home this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bobo have purchased the modern residence property at 913 Briar Avenue, from Miss Corda McCafferty. The Bobos' daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Carl Willet, will occupy the residence this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brewer of Hillsboro, have purchased the modern bungalow at 921 Broadway, from Miss Ethel Slagle. The Brewers will occupy their new home about April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson have purchased the modern residence home at 713 East Temple Street, from Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sells. They will occupy their new home this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Marchant have purchased the modern residence home at 712 North North Street, from Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bobo. The Marchants will move to their new home about April 1.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR THOMAS SELF

Funeral services for Thomas Self were held Sunday at the Kirkpatrick Funeral Home, at 3 P. M. and burial was made in the New Holland Cemetery. Rev. V. C. Stump of the New

DAYTONIAN IS FACING DAMAGE ACTIONS FILED

Both Outgrowth of Same Traffic Accident Last October

Frank Cout, 2211 E. 5th Street, Dayton, is made defendant in two damage actions filed in Common Pleas Court here, as result of a traffic accident which occurred on Route 35, some six miles northwest of this city, on October 24, 1943, in which the two plaintiffs claim to have suffered damages as result of the careless, negligent manner in which the defendant is alleged to have operated his automobile.

Both plaintiffs claim the defendant was traveling 60 miles an hour when the accident occurred.

Grace Yarger asks \$5,075 from the defendant for personal injuries and physicians' bills as result of a fractured right leg, face injuries, right foot crushed and other injuries sustained when the defendant's automobile crashed into the automobile of Roy Lavernier, of Milledgeville, in whose car plaintiff was a passenger.

Plaintiff states that the Lavernier auto had pulled to the side of the road, off the traveled surface, to render aid to persons injured in a wreck, and that defendant's auto, traveling at high speed, crashed into the Lavernier auto, and struck plaintiff.

In the second suit, Lavernier, of Milledgeville, asks \$200 from Cout for damages sustained to his automobile in the wreck above mentioned.

Norman L. McLean represents both plaintiffs.

Holland Methodist Church, conducted the services.

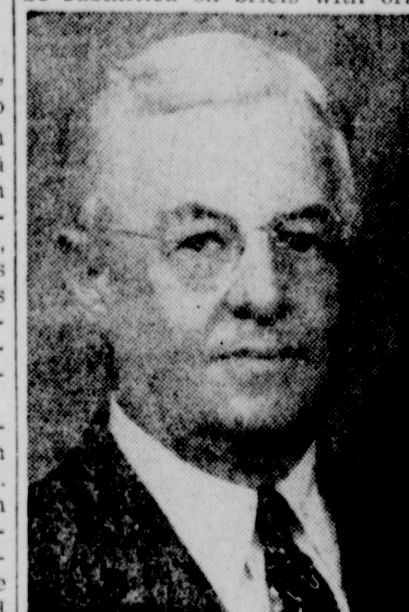
The pallbearers were: Pearl Hosler, Oran Dennis, Cecil Briggs, Warren Arthur, Herschell Hurlert and Harry Davis.

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HILLSBORO — W. J. Frump, Hillsboro, Democrat, is now chairman of the Highland County Board of Elections. Clark Wise-cup, Republican, is the clerk.

JUDGE J. D. BARNES SPENDS DAY HERE

No Cases To Be Heard by Court of Appeals

Judge J. D. Barnes of Sidney was in Washington C. H. Tuesday for the regular session of the second district Court of Appeals, but with the only case on file to be submitted on briefs with oral



Judge J. D. Barnes

argument waived, he spent much of the day renewing old friendships after he had signed the docket.

Although he was in the Court House for some time, he did not go into the Common Pleas Court room where James W. Collett is on trial for his life for the slaying of the Elmer McCoy family Thanksgiving eve.

Judge Barnes will come up for reelection this year on the non-partisan judicial ballot. He has served on the Court of Appeals for this district for the past 11 years and before that served on the Common Pleas Court bench in his home county. He said he had not intended to run for an-

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A news release from Pearl Harbor telling of the attack on the Marshall Islands, said: "...The troops must make landings through machine gun and artillery fire, must secure the beachheads and push forward, often yard by yard... It will be... willingness to die which will capture the Marshalls..."

A news release from Detroit of approximately the same date reported that: "A sitdown of more than 1,000 workers in support of demands for a 10-cent an hour wage increase... threatened production in the Ford Willow Run bomber plant."

A news release from Edgewater Beach, New Jersey, also of the same approximate date, gave an account of how two union men had been expelled from the union for conduct "unbecoming to union men." Their offense was testing 22 to 24 trucks a day instead of the union decreed average of 10 or 12.

How long can we expect our men in the armed forces to be willing to die for the nation, if these criminal abuses of freedom are continued?

Americans Want Invasion Facts

In the invasion to establish a western front in Europe, London naturally will be the clearing house of most of the information that reaches this country, but Americans must do their own clearing. News for Americans must be subject to any censorship the British, for example, might impose upon their own.

What Americans have a right to expect, in view of the time that has been afforded for making plans, is all the detailed day-to-day news of the invasion that cannot be of aid to the enemy.

The impression prevails that Americans have not been getting that sort of news service out of Italy. The man in the street, for example, was delighted at the establishment of the bridgehead below Rome and surprised that nothing comparable to severe opposition was encountered at the outset. What has not been intelligibly explained to him, is why in the meantime much more rapid progress was not made.

There has subsequently been a sharp military censorship in Italy anything but friendly to correspondents whose tone about the bridgehead operation has been gloomy. The inconsistency of this is that it comes at a time when leading Washington officials, from President Roosevelt down, have been warning the people about being too optimistic.

Something of the sort is only too liable to happen again unless General Eisenhower is successful in impressing upon his subordinates that he means exactly what he says when he orders full cooperation with American newsmen.

As to Cutting Taxes

Students of taxation agree on one fundamental requirement if taxes for non-war purposes are to be reduced, or

Flashes of Life

Double Escape

KINGSWOOD, Surrey, Eng.—Pvt. Fred Dawson, home after escaping from an Italian prisoner-of-war camp, said what worried him most was the fact the Italian who sheltered him expected him to marry one of his daughters in return. He escaped by stealing out of the house one night and swimming a river.

Rationing Hits Monkey

ERIE, Pa.—Scrap, the city zoo's whisky-drinking chimpanzee, has finally felt the brunt of state liquor rationing. Instead of his usual coffee "spiked" with whisky, he now makes the best of it with an ice cream cone.

12-year-old Boy Writes Schoolbook

MEXICO CITY—A reader written by a 12-year-old boy, Hector Ramirez Honey, has been adopted as a textbook for public schools throughout Mexico.

The book, called "Alpha," contains short stories and legends. The author is a schoolboy at Pachuca, state of Hidalgo.

Grab Bag

One-Minute Test

1. Of whom was the Earl of Leicester the favorite?
2. Who was Alexander Agassiz?
2. Who rebuked Damocles by hanging a sword over his head?

Words of Wisdom

Knowledge always desires increase; it is fire, which must first be kindled by some external agent, but which will afterward propagate itself. —Johnson.

Hints on Etiquette

Keep letters rolling to the men and women in the country's services, even if they don't find time to answer them. They will be appreciated possibly more if the folk in the armed forces have little time to write answers.

Today's Horoscope

With your keen appreciation of good literature and music, you would make a good critic of both, if today is your birthday. Although you are frank, straightforward, scrupulously honest, you like personal attention and are apt to seek it. Your love is steadfast and your friendships lasting. The year will bring mixed fortunes to you. Endeavor to avoid erratic actions which might prejudice success. Cultivate calm and patience, and conserve resources. The child who is born on this date will hold somewhat eccentric and unpopular views which are likely to affect success adversely. Sudden outbursts of temper should be early checked.

One-minute Test Answers

1. Queen Elizabeth.
2. A famous American zoologist.
3. Dionysius.

are even to halt their ever-upward climb.

The people must be willing to see the government stop boosting its expenditures.

Taxes are imposed by representatives of the people. These representatives are besieged constantly by pressure groups, all seeking favors, all of which cost money. As soon as lawmakers heed the pleas of one pressure group, which, after all is comprised of a portion of their constituents, a dozen other pressure groups will seek similar favors.

Most of the groups are convinced of the merits of their demands, or at least believe they have as much right to a share of the "cut" as someone else. And many still are firmly convinced a nation can spend its way to prosperity.

Whatever their motives are, individual tax rates will climb just as long as the public demands more services or more subsidies or more benefits.

Taxes can go only so high before they reach the point where there is no incentive to risk capital in a business or industry, or even to work. Even the experts don't know what that point is. It's like experimenting to see how far from a window one can lean without falling. When we find out it is too late. We have fallen, or our economic system has collapsed.

LAFF-A-DAY



"We're not really selling. My wife just likes to talk to people!"

Diet and Health

Speech Patterns of Average Child

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

"IT TAKES about two years for a baby to learn to talk and from fifty to seventy-five years to keep his mouth shut." This is the latest

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

addition to the list of immortal American epigrams. Who is responsible for it? I have seen it ascribed to "Town Talk" of Denver.

Besides the wisdom in it, there is the statistical fact that speech begins on the average at about the age of two. Between the ages of two and four rapid strides are made, every month showing advance over the previous month. After four the rate of improvement slows down. By the time the child reaches the first grade his speech in major aspects is similar to that of an adult.

Speech Delayed

Speech must naturally wait on other phases of brain development. At birth the hearing centers are almost completely undeveloped. It takes a loud noise to wake a baby. Sight at first is confused, hardly more than light, darkness and large confused objects are distinguished, and probably the baby sees everything upside down. Speech is useless to one who cannot distinguish the word for an object, and who doesn't even distinguish one object from another.

The baby learns that some sounds command attention—to get food when it is hungry. So it cries or mutters and food is brought. Here—"a boy's best friend is his mother"—(acknowledgements to Mr. F. P. Adams, on "Information Please").

But at about two to two and a half years, the preliminary groundwork for speech has been laid down in the nervous system. The cells and fibers of the hearing center are mature, and the baby recognizes that sounds, including the speech of adults, mean something. The vision of the eyes is fused and turned right side up and his world is full of objects for which he wants a name.

Learns by Imitation

Imitation is the baby's method of learning to talk. This imposes a great obligation on parents. Imitative speech certainly sticks. I suppose that even in such a dim distant future as when Mr. Roosevelt is no longer President of the United States, children from Georgia, will be pronouncing "sir," "uh," and children from Massachusetts will be pronouncing the way they do (which cannot be indicated by print). The speech

troubles that bother some parents all come from imitation—swearing, slurring, slang. They are not really troubles; they simply show the baby is alive—alert.

Delayed speech is probably the commonest real worry of parents. Organic defects—deafness, mental deficiency—are rare as causes. Common are environmental situations; such as:

Bilingualism—Children who are brought up in a bilingual household and try to learn two languages are, unless excessive care is exercised, backward in both.

Lack of chance to learn—The way a child talks is the third most important thing in his life, after vision and hearing. Parents should take the utmost pains to speak slowly, distinctly and simply.

Lack of motivation—Older people understand what little the child says, so he has no reason to enlarge his speech. When thrown with children its own age, this is changed.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

F. P. C.:—A friend of mine is a constant user of bromide tablets, taking two a day. Will this do him harm?

Answer: The principal harm it may do is to cause a skin eruption, and this can be cured or prevented by taking plenty of table salt.

M. C. M.:—My grand-daughter is 11 years of age, 5 feet tall and weighs 104 pounds. Is she too heavy and should she watch her diet?

Answer: This child is not really overweight. Even if she were, a diet is unnecessary. Fat children grow out of it, and need not be tortured with a diet.

LENTEN REDUCING DIET

By Dr. Clendening

Thursday—500 Calories

BREAKFAST

- ½ grapefruit—no sweetening.
- 1usk—no butter or substitute.
- 1 cup coffee—no cream or sugar.

LUNCHEON

- 1 cup mixed vegetable salad served on lettuce—vinegar, lemon or mineral oil dressing.
- ½ slice whole wheat, graham or rye toast or 2 soda crackers—no butter or substitute.
- 1 8 ounce glass skimmed milk or buttermilk.

DINNER

- 1 average helping broiled veal cutlet.
- ½ cup carrots.
- ½ cup apple wheat berry—make like brown Betty using shredded wheat instead of bread crumbs.
- 1 small cup coffee—no cream or sugar.

Looking Back in Fayette County

Five Years Ago

First reliable city directory for this city is now completed and called a great success.

Nearly 60 attend meeting when Legion Post commanders are honored at meeting here.

Selden Grange to celebrate silver anniversary, March 14.

Myers Kimmey, life-long resident of Fayette County and shipping foreman at the Cudahy Packing Co. here, died in Grant Hospital, Columbus, March 7.

Ten Years Ago

W. E. Passmore appointed as postmaster here to succeed Glenn B. Rodgers.

Pair of intoxicated Cincinnatians jailed here after they preceded to hug customers in a downtown restaurant.

Blue Rock Stone Quarry Company is reorganized, and H. B. Beihn is named general manager.

Fifteen Years Ago

Dr. G. W. Blakeley is honored at dinner of Fayette County Med-

ical Society in recognition of his 51 years of service.

Earth tremors shake Fayette County early today.

Fans here urging that baseball be added to spring sports curriculum at high school.

Twenty Years Ago

Sheriff Lewis and deputies arrest two following near riot at a dance in Milledgeville.

During snow this morning a horse attached to a buggy fell in front of the mayor's office; an hour of effort was required to get the animal back to its feet.

Governor Vic Donahey delivers speech at First Presbyterian Church.

WALLY'S FIRST HUSBAND'S FORMER WIFE DIES MONDAY

LOS ANGELES, March 8.—(AP)—Mrs. Norma R. Johnson Spencer, 53, former wife of Comdr. Earl Winfield Spencer, first husband of the Duchess of Windsor, died yesterday of apoplexy suffered Sunday night.

A Model is Murdered — BABS LEE

CHAPTER SEVENTEEN

The stocky figure of Inspector Grange loomed in the doorway. He walked into the room, followed by his men. With the arrival of the police, a crowd began to gather in the corridor. Grange issued a few brief orders and his men went about their routine duties. He greeted Flagg and Argus, before he went over to examine the body.

"Well, Mr. Flagg," he said at last, "let's have it. What are you doing here?"

The model agent repeated what he had told Argus and showed the Inspector his message from Cynthia Lane. His story didn't vary.

"All right," directed Grange. "Wait outside, Mr. Flagg." "What's your version, Steele?" Grange asked after the model agent left the room. Argus explained in detail. Grange listened attentively.

When Argus had finished, he cocked a shaggy eyebrow at him and said: "Too bad she didn't get to write that letter. It might simplify matters."

"Well, for the sake of argument, I'm letting it be noised around that she did write that letter," Argus emphasized. "I just mentioned it to Flagg. Said it was in the mail and I'd have it tomorrow. I thought that if the murderer got wind of it, he might show his hand."

"Not a bad idea," said Grange. "But it might be a little tough on you if the party starts to get rough."

"I'll risk it." "How did Flagg take it?" the Inspector asked. "Like a mill pond on a still summer day. Nary a ripple. But that guy plays poker—you never can tell."

"But why should Flagg want to kill her?" Grange queried. "I don't know that he did. But when some one starts fooling with blackmail—"

"Blackmail? You think Miss Lane was blackmailing some one?" Argus told him about Dorry's conversation with Cynthia.

"And, in case you're interested, Inspector, Dorry's married to young Bill Carstairs."

Grange's brow contracted. He beckoned a red-headed plain-clothes man, "Mike," he said, "I want you to find Mrs. William Carstairs, Jr., and bring her here for questioning. What's she look like, Steele?"

Argus described her and added: "She was sitting at Table 10."

"O.K. I'll find her," volunteered the city detective, and ambled off.

"That message Flagg said he got," Grange asked, "do you think it was on the level?"

"I asked the operator to see if a call had been made from this room. The bell captain's checking on which boy made the delivery."

"Strange how the Carstairs family keeps coming into the picture," Grange mused. "Ever since you told me about Bill phoning Syria, we've been trying to locate him. But no soap! No one seems to have seen him since he left the Penguin Club, Monday night. Found out that his

old man has an apartment in the same building Syria did."

Argus was about to make a remark when one of Grange's men approached, holding out a small revolver.

"This must be the gun that killed her, Chief," he said. "It's a .32. We found it among the clothes on the bed."

The medical examiner was putting away his things. Grange went over to speak to him. Argus heard the words, "Heart. Instantaneous. Bullets."

"What time did you hear the shot?" Grange asked Argus. "Approximately 4:45. I happened to glance at my watch just before it happened."

"And you didn't see any one in the corridor?" "No. This corridor isn't used very much, I understand. The model's dressing room is across the way. As I see it, the murderer must have left by that door over there," he indicated it with a nod, "or I should have seen him. There is no number on that side. I suppose this room was once part of a suite and, when they chopped it up, they marked only this side."

The red-headed detective whom Grange had dispatched to find Dorry Carstairs poked his head in the door.

"I've got her here, Chief," he said. "Do you want me to bring her in?" "No," answered Grange. "I'll talk to her outside. Clear the corridor. Come on, Steele, we'll shoot her a few questions."

Dorry looked small and frightened. Grange spoke to her in a kindly voice.

"I'm sorry to trouble you, Mrs. Carstairs, but I'll have to ask you a few questions. I believe you were acquainted with Cynthia Lane?"

"Yes, Inspector," Dorry replied in a weak voice.

"Miss Lane has been shot," he said, grimly. "Murdered!" Dorry gasped and put her hand to her mouth.

"You were seen coming out of her room," Grange went on, "just before the fashion show started, and Mr. Steele happened to overhear your conversation with Miss Lane. You mentioned something about—blackmail."

"I—I was overwrought. I didn't know what I was saying." She shot Argus a pleading look.

"But you must've had a reason," said Grange. "Was Miss Lane blackmailing you?"

"No, I didn't mean anything. I—"

Grange changed his tone. "Where were you at five minutes to five?" he snapped.

"I was at my table, I suppose. I've been there ever since the fashion show began."

"Your father-in-law was acquainted with Miss Lane," put in Argus. "In fact, he was talking to her only this morning in Mr. Sturges' studio. Something about a contract to pose for his catsup. Mr. Carstairs didn't seem too enthusiastic, but I learned later that Miss Lane had received her contract. That couldn't have had anything to do with this blackmail business, could it?"

"I don't know what you're talking about," Dorry said. She seemed to be struggling to regain her composure. "I didn't kill Miss Lane, if that's what you want to know. You can find that out by questioning my friends. I haven't left my table. The other matter is—private, and I can't see why I should answer any more questions."

"Where's your husband this afternoon, Mrs. Carstairs?" Grange asked.

"I don't know," replied Dorry. "He's probably with his father. They had a business appointment. Now, may I join my friends, Inspector?"

"I'll come with you," declared Grange.

"I'd like to speak with you before you go, Inspector," Argus said, taking him aside. "I noticed some dried green paint on the hem of Cynthia Lane's mink coat. And there's something else..." He told him what Ellen had said about Syria's weak ends in New Jersey.

"Thanks, Steele," Grange murmured. "I'll look into it."

"Yes," said Argus, "and you might pull that letter gag I used on Flagg out of your hat, kick it around and see what happens."

"I will, and I'll find out about that gun Mrs. Carstairs was carrying the night Syria was shot." He walked off.

Argus found Ellen standing farther down the corridor, talking to Pierre Sturges.

"Oh, Argus!" she ejaculated when she saw him. "What happened? We've heard so many conflicting stories." Argus told them.

"Have they any idea who did it?" Sturges asked.

"No, Mr. Sturges, you know Syria Verne rather well. Do you happen to know where she went in New Jersey on Saturdays?"

"No," replied the photographer, looking surprised. "She went once that she had an aunt over there."

"An aunt? You don't know where I could reach her, do you?" Argus asked.

"Why, no; come to think of it, she never mentioned her name to me, nor where she lived."

"Well," said the detective, "I guess she'll read about it in the papers and show up sooner or later." A policeman approached them.

"Mr. Sturges?" he asked. "Inspector Grange would like to see you."

"Me?" the photographer asked. "Oh, very well. You'll excuse me?" He bowed to Ellen and Argus.

"What do you say we go some place and have a drink and a steak?" Argus invited Ellen.

"But one of those policemen told us we were all to stay. And besides, don't you want to know what the police discover?"

"This is going to take a long time and I'm hungry. Come on, red head, and I'll tell you all about it in the taxi, on the way."

(To be continued)

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Practicing for Toughest Practice

By ROBERT E. GEIGER

CAMP HALE, Colo.—Imagine your family doctor as a rugged mountain man in Arctic parka and on skis!

If he is young, has a sound constitution and is a good physician or surgeon that may be exactly where he is today.

At Camp Hale, near snow-covered peaks of the Rocky mountains from whose blizzards even hardy mountain trappers shied, fighting men are taught to battle under Alpine conditions. Mountain medical men are trained to go right beside them.

Go Where He Goes

"If you are going to care for a mountain soldier you have to be able to go where the soldier goes," says Lt. Col. H. L. Berman formerly of Peoria, Ill., the division surgeon.

So the Army cast an eye over America's baby specialists, the general village practitioners, the skin specialists and the more experienced hospital interns as well as the famous physicians and surgeons. The hardy ones were brought together in a medical outfit capable of going where the going is most difficult.

These men have been trained in all the tricks of mountain climbing and Indian lore. They can ski. They have lived for days in sleeping bags or ice houses on winter maneuvers in the Colorado Rockies with five feet of snow on the ground and the thermometer at 40 below.

They Practice Cold

Under such conditions blood plasma freezes in two minutes; a surgeon's hands, if ungloved, become numb instantly. They learn to overcome these things.

Maj. Ward I. Gregg, gentle, slender surgeon from Cambridge, Mass., took his skis one day and fought his way through snow and sub-zero cold to Dillon, 40 miles away and over the Continental Divide at 11,000 feet. Just for the fun of it!

That's the kind of a medical outfit the Army is training to care for its wounded men.

"We have borrowed ideas from the American Indian, the Eskimo and rescue techniques tried out in World War I in the Alps," says Col. Berman. "All these and others have been incorporated in our training."

The old Indian made his squaw drag the household belongings on a travois (a pole framework) behind a horse. We employ this method of carrying a litter under certain conditions, but use sure-footed mules.

"We also, rig a ski soldier's skis into a toboggan to make a sled litter. There are many ways of

getting a wounded man safely from a mountain battlefield hemmed in by blizzards, cold and high cliffs."

Hard Way The Best

In this age of the airplane it would seem simple to land on the top of a mountain to rescue wounded men.

However the airplane and helicopter haven't proved, at this date, as satisfactory or sure as mules and men for this work.

"Our feet and ropes are our big stock in trade," says Col. Berman. "A mountain soldier wants lots of rope. If you give a mountain medical man just a little rope he'll hang himself; but give him plenty and he'll be happy."

In mountain medicine a doctor has to do the most with the least. Mountain battlefields are isolated and inaccessible

+—Social Happenings—Personals—News of Interest to Women—+

Linen Shower Is Entertained Here For Recent Bride

Misses Janet and Georgibel Graves combined hospitalities at the home of their parents on North Fayette Street, Tuesday evening, when they entertained in honor of Mrs. William Eife (Jean Wickle) with a linen shower.

A number of friends of the young and popular bride assembled at the Graves' home at eight o'clock and cards were the diversion of the evening.

The guest of honor was then invited to the dining room, where the table was laden with a number of prettily wrapped gifts. Centering the table was a large crystal vase of red carnations, and flanking it was tall white tapers in crystal holders. As she opened each gift a wish was made for each guest and the hour spent there was most hilarious. Her response was made in her own winning way.

The hostesses, assisted by their mother, served a dainty dessert course and a delightful social hour was highly enjoyed by the guests who took this opportunity to shower the honoree with their best wishes and felicitations on her recent marriage.

Those present were Misses Alma Jane Norris, Mary Catherine Knapp, Mary Jean Gage, Marjorie Scott, Mary Curry, Jane Bryant, Rosemary Dennison, Mrs. Matthew Eife, Mrs. C. F. Wickle, Mrs. Milton Panzlau, Miss Minnie Graves, Mrs. Milton Graves, the hostesses and guest of honor.

Browning Club Ends Year's Work At Final Meeting

The final meeting of the year for the Browning Club was held Tuesday evening at the Hotel Washington. The five departments of the organization, the history department, the social and industrial department, the literature department, the home economics department and the art department, have done an immense amount of research during the year. Some subjects considered and discussed at the meetings have been purely cultural, but many have been practical up-to-date subjects, dealing with the progress of science and recent prophecies of scientists for the future and some have been concerned with the progress and probable outcome of the war.

The subjects presented Tuesday evening were, "The House of Morgan," by Mrs. Olive Woodyard, "Black Markets," by Mrs. Minnie Coil and "Pearl Buck," by Mrs. Mildred Aughinbaugh. Mrs. Woodyard pointed out that the year 1865 ended an old order and the industrial revolution began. The rise of "barons of industry" who built up immense fortunes and organized great trusts followed the Civil War. In the reconstruction period after the war, J. Pierpont Morgan established the house of Morgan. Compared with that of Carnegie and others, his progress was slow, but he took advantage of the virgin wealth of a new continent, and the unorganized condition of society and managed to build up an immense banking system. In the second generation, it became the largest private bank in the world, under the management of John Pierpont Morgan, Jr. Theodore Roosevelt became alarmed at the tyranny of wealth and "busted the trust." John Pierpont, Jr., collected many of Europe's art treasures which, at his death were given to the city of New York.

Mrs. Coil's paper on "Black Markets," was informative and interesting. Most of us never saw a place known as a Black Market, but we can behave in a manner to make them possible, or we can break them up. Buying or selling without the legal coupons, and paying more or less than the legal prices is operating a black market. Price control, and rationing are to safeguard and protect the interests of all of us and should be carefully and loyally observed.

Mrs. Robert Aughinbaugh presented an interesting account of the life and writings of Pearl Buck. She was born in America in 1892 and was taken to China when she was four years old by her parents who were missionaries in that country. When she was seventeen she traveled in Europe and then crossed the Atlantic to reach America. She was graduated from Randolph College in Virginia. She married John Buck, a former missionary, and later taught English literature in a university in China. She now lives in Pennsylvania with her husband and two daughters, where much of her writing has been done. She believes that women in America have many advantages, but are discriminated against in the arts and sciences. She thinks that modern China has a better attitude toward the work of women than does America.

In closing the meeting, Mrs. Kelly, the president, expressed appreciation for the cooperation of her staff of officers, and announced the annual banquet to be held Tuesday, March 14, at the Presbyterian church.

Social Calendar

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8
Leadership Training Class of First Presbyterian Church, home of Mrs. Walter Patton, 8 P.M.

THURSDAY, MARCH 9
D of A, Jr. OUAM Hall, regular meeting and initiation, 7:30 P. M.

Spring Grove W. S. C. S., home of Mrs. Fred Barker, 2 P. M.

Thursday Kensington Club, home of Mrs. George B. Parkin, 2:30 P.M.

Elmwood Aid Society, home of Mrs. Floyd Tracey, 2:15 P.M.

C.T.S. class of First Presbyterian Church, in church basement, 7:30 P.M.

Mt. Olive W.S.C.S., home of Mrs. Wilbur Hyer, Dayton Avenue, 1:30 P.M.

Fortnightly luncheon-bridge at Country Club, chairman, Mrs. Sam Parrett. Assisting are Mrs. Ollie Morrow and Mrs. Walter Jones, 1 P.M.

FRIDAY, March 10
Good Fellowship Class, potluck supper and business meeting, North Street Church of Christ, 6:30 P.M.

Open Circle class of Grace Methodist Church, annual birthday party, home of Mrs. Delbert Brandenburg, Washington Avenue, 7:30 P.M.

Fayette Garden Club, home of Miss Edith Gardner, 2:30 P. M.

Personals

Miss Helen Junkins arrived here early Wednesday morning after spending two months in Taft, California.

Miss Geraldine Smith and Mrs. Herbert Plymire were business visitors in Columbus, Wednesday.

Miss Doris Post, of Springfield, arrived here Tuesday evening for a short visit with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eife and Mrs. Matthew Eife of Wilmington, were Tuesday evening visitors in this city.

Mrs. Charles Reinke has returned after spending a week in Huntington, West Virginia, with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peter.

Misses Martha-rose Ford and Janis Carlson returned Tuesday after spending several days in Cincinnati with friends.

Miss Wilma Noble of Ohio State University, Columbus, came here Tuesday evening for the McCoy-Hall wedding where she acted as bridesmaid.

Miss Lenore Losey, who has been the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Sagar in Douglas, Arizona for the past two months, has passed the state examination for the State Board of Beauty Culture, and has accepted a position in that city, where she will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. George Robinson, Jr., is spending an indefinite stay with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Adkins in Akron. Mrs. Adkins recently underwent a major operation.

Carol Armstrong Is Gay Hostess At Dinner Party

Mrs. Robert Armstrong entertained with a delightful dinner at her attractive country home Tuesday evening for her daughter, Carol, who had invited twelve junior classmates from Washington High School to their home for dinner and a most enjoyable evening.

The guests found their places at a prettily appointed table where a blue and white color scheme, the school colors, was carried out in the decorations. Placecards were in the form of large blue W's and as a centerpiece was a watergarden of white spring flowers, flanked by tall blue tapers.

Following the congenial hour spent at the table where a delicious three-course dinner was served by Mrs. Armstrong and Carol, the guests spent the remainder of the evening in dancing and other jolly pleasures.

Those present were the Misses Jane Anderson, Jean Willis, Marilyn Cole, Helen Turner, Betty DeHeart, Dixie Lou Graves, Mary Lou Follis, Ruth Ann Perrill, Ruth Adams, Virginia Mark, Carolyn Flowers, Victoria Otis and the hostess.

Flyer Is Houseguest Here
Doris Munchell will have as her Wednesday and Thursday guests Lt. William Brookbank and Mrs. Ray Wettig, both of Norwood, Ohio.

Lt. Brookbank has completed fifty combat missions over Italian, Sicilian and Tunisian fronts and is now spending a 30 day furlough at his home in Norwood.

Marilyn Marita McCoy Becomes Bride Of Pfc. Charles Arthur Hall Tuesday Eve



Mrs. Charles Arthur Hall

Impressive Single-ring Vows Exchanged at Washington Country Club Here Tuesday Evening at Eight O'clock; Officiating Was The Rev. John Glenn of Bloomingburg

The Washington Country Club lounge took on the semblance of a chapel Tuesday evening for the marriage of Marilyn Marita McCoy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eli McCoy to Pfc. Charles Arthur Hall, A. S. T. P. of the University of Louisiana, Baton Rouge, La. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of Lakewood.

The impressive single ring ceremony was performed at half-past eight o'clock by the Rev. John Glenn of the Bloomingburg Presbyterian Church before an improvised altar of arbor vitae, and two white floor baskets of white snapdragon flanked the mantel. Around the mantel was a large display of yellow daffodils. Potted plants and greenery all formed a gorgeous bower of spring cut flowers, throughout the spacious club lounge. Six pair of candle-labra shed a gracious glow over the bridal party as the vows were exchanged.

A half hour of vocal and instrumental music preceded the marriage. Mrs. Otis B. Core rendered most exquisitely on the violin, "Romance," from Concerto No. II by Wieniawski; "Oh Thou Sublime Sweet Evening Star," from Tannhauser by Richard Wagner. Mrs. Robert Moyer sang "Because," by D'Hardelot and "Through the Years," by Vincent Youmans.

The string trio, composed of violin, Mrs. Core; cello, Mrs. J. Edgar Vance and piano, Miss Mary Elizabeth Browning, beautifully played "Berceuse" from "Jocelyn" by Goddard and "At Dawning" by Cadman. Miss Browning then played as a piano solo "Liebestraum" by Liszt and the musical portions of the program closed with Mrs. Robert Moyer singing, "I Love You Truly," by Carrie Jacobs Bond. They began playing the Wedding March from "Lohengrin".

The petite and radiant bride wore a bridal gown of traditional white satin which caught the gleam of the many candles as she came to the altar on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage.

The fitted bodice of the gown had tiny satin covered buttons reaching from the neck to a lengthened waistline at the back from which flowed the long circular train. The sweetheart neckline was adorned with Venetian point lace and the sleeves were outlined to a point at the wrist with bands of the lace. The hand-made veil of imported silk illusion which covered the train was attached to a bonnet of starched Venetian point lace and caught on either side with pearl clusters. These were taken from the bridal dress of her mother, as was the lace, and brought to this country from abroad by her for her own wedding more than thirty years ago.

The bride carried a bouquet of roses which was centered with a white orchid and from this fell a shower of rose-buds caught with graduated lengths of white satin ribbon. In her slipper she wore the "Theta Sixpence" which is a custom of her sorority, Kappa Alpha Theta and is passed from one bride to another. She wore a single strand of lustrous matched pearls, a gift of the bridegroom.

As matron of honor was Mrs. Charles McCoy and bridesmaids were Miss Wilma Noble and Miss Kay Wead of Xenia, sorority sisters of the bride. Miss Wead was the bride's roommate for several years while they attended Ohio State University, Columbus.

They wore identical gowns of mousseline de soie, buttoned down the back as was the bridal gown and they carried variegated bouquets of spring flowers. As head-covering they wore miniature hats of net to match their frocks. Mrs. McCoy wore a gown of yellow, Miss Noble, orchid and Miss Wead, green.

Lt. Charles M. McCoy performed the duties of best man. Ushers were Midshipman David Miller, Cleveland and Mr. Robert Sanderson, Jr., Columbus.

For her daughter's marriage, Mrs. McCoy chose a floor length gown of aqua crepe with a corsage of purple violets and red roses at the shoulder. Mrs. Hall wore a chic floor length gown, plum colored, with a jeweled studded belt and her corsage was of violets and pink roses.

At the close of the exchange of vows the bridal party received the best wishes and felicitations of the numerous invited guests who had assembled to witness the beautiful and impressive single ring ceremony.

A white-cloth covered table was placed in front of the improvised altar and a handsome silver service used when a delightful reception was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. McCoy. The centerpiece of the beautifully appointed table was a huge wedding cake, embellished with a miniature bride and bridegroom in uniform. Concealed in the base of the unusual ornament was a music box which played "Here Comes the Bride", very cleverly.

Presiding at the serving table during the reception were Miss Marjorie Frost, Mrs. Fred Schaad, Mrs. Vern Sheley, Mrs. Leland Stevens, Mrs. Oscar Hawke, Miss Laura Schadel, Mrs. Robert Moyer, Miss Mary E. Browning, Misses Jean and Helen McCoy.

Sabina Garden Club Has Annual Spring Session

Thirty-four members and guests of the Sabina Garden Club were entertained at the home of Mrs. H. H. Griffith for the annual spring meeting and for the occasion the spacious rooms of the attractive home were tastily arranged.

On the receiving committee were Mrs. A. J. Darbyshire and Mrs. A. A. Fisher, while Mrs. Olin Moon and Mrs. P. M. Ellis presided at the register. Mrs. C. C. Beam received the cancelled tax stamps which were numerous and they were convincing testimony of the cooperation and interest of the Sabina community in the honor roll plaque.

The studio was decorated with blooming begonias and the many tea delicacies were served from a Madeira cloth covered table which was centered with a water-garden of rose-hued snapdragons. Presiding were Mrs. O. D. Young, Mrs. Annetta Doan and assisting were Mrs. Elmo Cantrill, Mrs. Ralph McPherson and Mrs. J. L. Parrett.

The program committee, composed of Mrs. Lon Rhonemus, Mrs. John Rhonemus and Mrs. Asa Flint, presented a most interesting program. First on the program was Mrs. Walter Stackhouse, who presented a delightful program of popular music at the piano. The president called for group singing which was also highly enjoyed.

The treasurer, Mrs. Olin Moon, gave her report and disclosed disbursements of the past weeks. The advisory board, composed of Mrs. Forrest Thornhill, Mrs. C. C. Beam, Mrs. Asa Flint, Mrs. John Van Pelt and Mrs. Wilmer Stringfellow, presented the list of officers which were duly elected as follows: president, Mrs. H. H. Griffith; vice president, Mrs. Dar-

vid Morris; secretary, Mrs. Lon Rhonemus; assisting secretary, Mrs. Herman Gallaher and treasurer, Mrs. Olin Moon.

New members who were welcomed and received at this time were Mrs. Robert Ellis, Mrs. John Goodrich, Mrs. DeWitt Foster, Mrs. Howard Grice and Mrs. Carey Persinger.

Gorgeous flowers with a congratulatory card signed by all present, were sent to Mrs. A. E. McCarty who celebrated her one hundredth birthday anniversary.

Mr. Walter Bluck, Clinton Co. agricultural agent, was then introduced and he gave a timely and instructive lecture on soil preparation, garden planning and proper use of vitamins and minerals.

Members were also informed the "Gardening Guide Magazine" will be the current literature for the year. The 1944 program for the club is in the making and will soon be presented to the members for their discussion.

Harford Renick, Circleville; Miss Marjorie Frost, Cleveland; Mrs. Fred Schaad, Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Kirkendall, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wead, Miss Eleanor Blessing, Xenia; Miss Virginia Lanum, Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peterson, Miss Gantz and Miss Peterson, Frankfort; Mrs. Willis Willis, Painesville; Mrs. Ray Plum and Mrs. Esther Hoy, Lakewood.

Tuesday Kensington Club Meets with Mrs. Haver

Mrs. C. S. Haver charmingly entertained the members of her Tuesday Kensington Club Tuesday afternoon at her attractive home on Rawling Street, and co-hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Hoy Simons and Mrs. Walter Ellis.

One guest, Mrs. E. P. Morse, of Columbus, was included in the afternoon's pleasures. The guests were seated at one large table and two smaller ones, when the hostess and her assistants served an appetizing dessert course, bringing to a close the many pleasures of the afternoon.

Buckeye Chapter of WLW Mailbag Club Meets

Mrs. Roy Rogers cordially entertained six members and three guests when the Buckeye Chapter of the WLW Mailbag club met for their March meeting.

A lengthy business meeting was conducted after being called to order by the president. New and old business of interest to the members was discussed and two members who had been absent for over a year were reinstated.

A floral remembrance was sent to one of the members who has been ill.

After the business meeting was adjourned the members enjoyed many games of bingo with prizes awarded to Anna Hall, Chap Tillis and Lottie Tillis.

Tempting refreshments were served by Mrs. Rogers assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Betty Wilson.

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ON SALE THURSDAY

CRAIG'S



—Spying— On Sports

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, March 8.—(P)—Army and Navy, which virtually monopolized the indoor intercollegiate track meet last Saturday, won't be in the outdoor I. C. 4-A meet here because the date, June 10, comes after their commencement. . . Rogers Hornsby will act as pinch hitter as well as manager for the Vera Cruz team in the Mexican Baseball League next summer. . . The Reds' mechanical pitcher already has reached Indiana U. to start spring training and Pooch Harrell, I. U. coach, wants to put a uniform on it to fill out his depleted squad.

Today's Guest Star
C. M. Gibbs, Baltimore Sun: "Preparations for the Widener found A. C. Ernst's Alquist constantly regarded as the 'sleeper'. . . Trouble with so many 'sleepers' is that they snore right on through the big test."

Sportspourri
Baseball club owners have just learned that the new admissions tax won't apply to tickets sold in advance before April 1. . . All the higher priced seats for the seven nights of the N. C. A. A. and Invitation Basketball Tournaments at Madison Square Garden have been sold but cheaper ones still can be had. . . Jesse Hawley, Jr., whose dad was quite a player and coach at Dartmouth, will graduate from Culver Military Academy this spring and follow his pop to Hanover, N. H. He's a tackle and 17 years old. . . Seven-foot Bob Kurland, the Oklahoma Aggies' basketball, recently was voted "Prince Charming of Aggeland" by the college co-eds. . . That's not what Phog (Mezzanine hurler) Allen calls him.

Service Dept.
To supply the Camp Lejeune, N. C., Marines for 1944, \$140,535.66 worth of athletic equipment, ranging from 4,000 baseballs to 2400 cribbage boards, has just been purchased. Most of it will be taken overseas when the units move out. . . Soon after Cadet Howie Pollet reached the Las Vegas, Nev., army air field he received a summons to report to the Public Relations office "on a matter of great importance." When he investigated hurriedly, Howie found the officer in charge wanted to know why he had pitched only one ball in the 1942 World Series and why he didn't receive credit for winning the game.

WOUNDED HERO LOSES ELECTION TO NEW DEAL FOE IN COLORADO

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this election prove that the people are tired of the Democratic New Deal stuff, and that business men are coming awake," Gillespie said in a statement. . . Wuerter, holder of the Silver Star and Distinguished Flying Cross with two Oak Leaf Clusters for action in the South Pacific, wounded and retired, conceded Gillespie's election shortly before midnight.

The youthful war veteran who was drafted by Democrats for the race to fill the congressional seat left vacant by the death of Rep. Lawrence Lewis, Democrat, admitted during the campaign that having been so long out of the country he was unfamiliar with many problems before congress, but promised he would learn about them.

Gillespie campaigned on a slogan of "less government in business and more business in government." He advocated an orderly transition to a peacetime economy following the war, with private industry.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Joe Agosta, 196, New York, outpointed Ernest "Cat" Robinson, 143½, New York, 8. Herbie Katz, 173½, New York, stopped Charley Chambers, 193½, New York, 5.

JERSEY CITY — Buddy Farrell, 157, Newark, outpointed Jerry Fiorello, 155, New York, 10.

ROOM AND BOARD

By Gene Ahern



Three Bucks Awarded Places On All Big Ten Cage Team

By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN

CHICAGO, March 8.—(P)—The 1944 All-Star Big Ten Basketball team, dominated by three freshmen and including two players from Ohio State's championship squad, was selected by The Associated Press today by Conference coaches.

Dave Danner of Iowa, Arnold Risen of Ohio State and Paul Hoffman of Purdue, were the rookies named on one of the youngest All-Conference teams in Big Ten history—one whose members averaged only 20 years old.

Ages ranged from Danner's 18 to 21 for Ohio State's sensational sophomore, Don Grate, —22 for Northwestern's Otto Graham, a V-5 student who was transferred to Colgate to further training in the air cadet program two weeks before Northwestern closed its campaign, was the only holdover from last year's all-star team.

One of Graham's former Northwestern teammates, Russ Wendland—a V-5 trainee at Wisconsin—grabbed a second team berth for the second consecutive year. Others on the second team were Bob Bowen of Ohio State, Dick Ives of Iowa, the Big Ten's scoring champion with 208 points which included a record-breaking 43 against Chicago; Ray Patterson of Wisconsin and Ben Schadler of Northwestern.

Graham, a splendid floorman and rebounder, and Danner, who produced 193 points for the Hawkeyes, were stationed at forwards on the No. 1 team. Risen, Kentucky State's 6-foot 8½-inch Kentuckian who spilled in 174 points in the regular 12-game Big Ten schedule, won the center position.

Hoffman and Grate, high scoring forwards for their respective teams, were necessarily shifted to guards on the All-Star lineup.

Grate was named on every ballot filed by the 10 coaches, receiving five first team votes and four second team choices. Awarding two points for a first and one for a second, Grate polled a leading total of 16 points. Danner received even first team votes for 14 points. Hoffman and Risen each had 13 points and Graham 12.

Four members of the second team—Patterson, Ives, Wendland, and Bowen—missed first team honors by margins of less than three points.

Intramural Cage League Thrown into Tie by Upset; Play-off for Title Is Next

The Intra-mural Basketball League schedule came to an end like a firecracker Tuesday night in the WHS gym, and as a result, a play-off for the title and honor between the two senior class teams next week was made necessary.

The unbeaten Bloody Bucketeers went down to a 13 to 11 defeat at the hands of the freshmen Hot Shots in a ding-dong battle that became a mixture of about a little of everything before it was all over. The beating not only spoiled their record, but also dropped the Bucket Brigade into a tie with the Flying Tigers, with whom they must settle their feud in a post-schedule game.

The Dribblers, who had a not-too-poor record of three wins and three losses, gave the Tigers all the basketball they wanted in the early stages of the game, but could not stand up under the sustained attack and finally went down under a 16 to 11 score.

In the other game of the evening, the Bull Dogs romped all over the Rocks for a 26 to 8 victory.

The Powder Puffs added one to the win column when the Jive Five forfeited.

Hot Shots FG F TP
Dowling 1 0 0
Sagart 1 0 0
Yerlan 0 0 0
Kelley 2 0 0
Gray 1 0 0
Pyle 1 0 0
Totals 6 0 0

Bucketeers FG F TP
Kellough 2 0 0
Crack 0 0 0
McKinney 0 0 0
Young 0 0 0
Dewees 1 1 3
Totals 3 1 3

Dribblers FG F TP
Adams 1 0 0
Holden 1 0 0
Williams 2 0 0
Peterson 0 0 0
Griffin 1 1 3
Wills 0 0 0
Bryan 0 0 0
Totals 5 1 1

Tigers FG F TP
Michael 0 1 1
Kimball 2 2 6
Kelley 4 1 8
Ellis 0 0 0
Denton 0 1 1
Totals 6 4 16

Bulldogs FG F TP
Bostwick 1 0 0
Hinton 0 0 0
Williams 1 0 0
Brandon 0 0 0
Smith 0 0 0
Alshire 0 0 0
McKinney 0 0 0
Mitchell 0 0 0
Adkins 2 1 2
Totals 12 2 26

Rocks FG F TP
Hick 1 0 0
Young 0 0 0
Babb 0 0 0
Montgomery 3 0 0
Mallow 0 0 0
Donahue 0 0 0
Totals 4 0 0

All-Star Big Ten Cage Team

CHICAGO, March 8.—(P)—The All-Big Ten Basketball team for 1944 selected for The Associated Press by Conference coaches:

FIRST TEAM					
Pos.	Player	School	Status	Height	Weight
F	Otto Graham, Northwestern		V-5	6-1	180
F	Dave Danner, Iowa		Freshman	6	190
C	Arnold Risen, Ohio State		Freshman	6-8½	200
G	Paul Hoffman, Purdue		Freshman	6-1	200
G	Don Grate, Ohio State		Sophomore	6-2	187

SECOND TEAM					
Pos.	Player	School	Status	Height	Weight
F	Bob Bowen, Ohio State		Sophomore	6-1	183
F	Dick Ives, Iowa		Freshman	6-1	175
C	Ray Patterson, Wisconsin		Senior	6-3	180
G	Ben Schadler, Northwestern		V-12	6	185
G	Russ Wendland, Wisconsin		V-5	6	175

HONORABLE MENTION
Michigan—Strack, Hirsch, King; Ohio State—Dugger, Houston; Northwestern—Carle, Felt; Illinois—Patrick, Kirk; Minnesota—Wright; Purdue—Haag; Chicago—De Graw; Indiana—Peed.

Girls' Alley Race Tightens With Lead Going into Tie

Light's Dairymaids closed in on the league-leading Lloyd's Markettes and the up-and-coming Record-Herald News-girls leapedfrogged over the Business and Professional girls in the Women's City League bowling on the Main Street alleys Tuesday night to tighten the race that for a time looked like it was just about all settled.

The Dairymaids went into a tie for first place with the Markettes when they won the first and last games of their match with the Business and Professional Women while the Mar-

kettes were losing two out of three to the cellar-dwelling Morris Store girls.

In an evening that was definitely one for the teams of the lower regions of the standings, the Farmerettes won the first two games from Craig's Air Steppers, the second game by only four pins, but dropped the last one by ten pins.

The Newsgirls were the "hot" team of the evening. Paced by Billie Toops, with a 538, and ably supported by Naomi Ferneau, with a 528, they piled up a three-game total of 2765. The last place Morris Store team was next high with a 2485 total.

Light's Dairy					
	1	2	3	T	
R. Malone	141	93	109	343	
B. Coffey	161	156	130	447	
J. Olinger	131	93	184	408	
B. Hard	139	120	119	378	
E. Fletcher	138	131	152	421	
Sub Total	710	623	694	2027	
Handicap	104	194	194	312	
Totals	814	737	798	2349	

B. and P. Women					
	1	2	3	T	
Slavens	91	149	104	344	
Wilson	92	112	108	312	
Mauger	94	161	97	352	
Cook	109	120	107	336	
Lunbeck	100	129	139	368	
Sub Total	487	671	555	1713	
Handicap	28	28	28	84	
Totals	625	809	583	2017	

Farmer's Exchange					
	1	2	3	T	
Fls. Co.	125	113	113	351	
M. Johnson	125	140	137	392	
B. Davis	161	144	151	456	
Frank Cook	109	142	154	405	
B. Mitchell	126	117	125	368	
Sub Total	643	639	658	2040	
Handicap	113	113	113	339	
Totals	756	752	771	2279	

Craig's Air-Step					
	1	2	3	T	
C. Warner	128	128	138	414	
C. Warner	147	121	143	411	
M. McCullough	107	139	123	369	
P. Kirk (Blind)	125	125	135	385	
D. Graves	110	145	178	433	
Sub Total	627	668	701	1996	
Handicap	80	80	80	240	
Totals	707	748	781	2236	

Record-Herald					
	1	2	3	T	
M. Herend	104	139	86	329	
N. Ferneau	170	167	191	528	
S. Davis	92	142	121	355	
C. Switzer	137	163	172	472	
B. Toops	165	173	200	538	
Sub Total	668	744	770	2222	
Handicap	82	82	82	246	
Totals	849	955	951	2755	

Hawkinson Tread					
	1	2	3	T	
L. Warfield	124	209	169	512	
M. Rider	124	157	123	404	
D. Boyd	122	124	174	420	
M. Bright	129	146	146	421	
F. Haines	122	101	148	371	
Sub Total	666	720	760	2146	
Handicap	82	82	82	246	
Totals	748	802	842	2392	

Morris 5-10					
	1	2	3	T	
Helen King	159	129	139	427	
Hat. King	154	182	160	496	
O. Warner	136	119	90	345	
D. Lower	140	133	112	385	
S. Cooper	158	129	129	416	
Sub Total	748	662	580	1990	
Handicap	165	165	165	495	
Totals	913	827	745	2485	

Lloyd's Market					
	1	2	3	T	
M. Caldwell	137	102	174	413	
M. McKie	123	133	180	436	
G. Kelley	194	148	121	463	
D. McNutt	134	144	130	408	
R. Saunders	120	130	151	401	
Sub Total	728	657	658	2043	
Handicap	101	101	101	303	
Totals	829	758	759	2346	

Tigers					
	FG	F	TP		
Michael	0	1	1		
Kimball	2	2	6		
Kelley	4	1	8		
Ellis	0	0	0		
Denton	0	1	1		
Totals	6	4	16		

Bulldogs					
	FG	F	TP		
Bostwick	1	0	2		
Hinton	0	0	0		
Williams	1	0	0		
Brandon	0	0	0		
Smith	0	0	0		
Alshire	0	0	0		
McKinney	0	0	0		
Mitchell	0	0	0		
Adkins	2	1	2		
Totals	12	2	26		

Rocks					
	FG	F	TP		
Hick	1	0	2		
Young	0	0	0		
Babb	0	0	0		
Montgomery	3	0	0		
Mallow	0	0	0		
Donahue	0	0	0		
Totals	4	0	8		

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YANKS HIT BERLIN AGAIN AS REDS GO ON IN MUD; ATTACK IN ITALY LOOMS

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official announcement indicated that fewer bombers were out today than on Monday when the phrase "very strong forces" was used, but today's raiding fleet undoubtedly numbered several hundred. From 600 to 700 bombers have flown in recent American attacks.

Rail facilities around Florence also were targets among the 1,300 sorties from Italy. Mosquitos stabbed into western Germany. San Stefano was bombed day and night.

New Drive Looms in Italy
Considerable German troop movements were noted around the muddy Anzio beachhead below Rome, indicating the enemy was regrouping for a fourth offensive. Mortar and grenade duels continued inside Cassino but throughout Italy, snow, rain and mud prevented major fighting.

Showdowns between Britain and the exiled governments of Poland and Yugoslavia seemed their frontier. Two Yugoslav cab-counter-proposals concerning near Moscow rejected Polish innet members reached London after the urgent invitation of the British in an effort to reconcile differences between King Peter's government and Marshal Tito.

The newspaper Aftonbladet reported today that Rickard Lindstrom, Swedish editor of Morgen Tidningen, had conferred with Russian legation officials on Finnish armistice terms and was expected to leave shortly for Helsinki.

Lindstrom's newspaper is the organ of the Social Democratic party which has close ties with the Social Democratic party of Finland. He was not available for comment. A Russian legation spokesman would neither confirm nor deny the report.

Heat Put on Bulgaria
Bulgaria has called up more troops after a visit by German Balkan commanders to Sofia and discovery of a large store of armaments cached by partisans, the Basler Nachrichten reported today in a Budapest dispatch.

Strongly-armed partisan bands are established near Sofia, and Bulgarian troops have started a general offensive against them. After one clash in which 150 partisans were killed, Bulgarian regulars found enough guns and supplies to equip four regiments, and also found a radio station, the dispatch said.

Sofia officials were said to estimate that 27,000 partisans now are being supplied by airplanes from southern Italy, maintaining direct contact with British general headquarters at Cairo.

Turks Getting Nervous
Turkey was represented today as anxious to go part of the way to patch up her differences with Britain, although the Turkish government still feels that deliveries of supplies have been far below what was promised.

This view of Turkish policy was obtained from participants in a conference of Turkish editors with Foreign Minister Numan Menemencioglu, who was quoted as saying Turkey planned to do everything in her power to preserve her alliance with Britain.

The Turks hope the British will make the first conciliatory move, but if it is not forthcoming, they probably will make it themselves, it was said.

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We are interested in men or women who can manage established coffee and grocery routes. Must be over 21 and free to locate anywhere. Permanent, good-salaried positions. Car and merchandise furnished with expenses paid. 5 day week, opportunity for advancement. Full salary while training. Write us fully about yourself—age, education, experience, etc., and you will hear from us promptly.

JEWEL TEA CO., INC., A. J. Wright, Mgr., 1187 Cleveland Avenue, Columbus 3, Ohio

Situations Wanted 22

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by middle aged lady. Write Box 14, care Record-Herald.

FARM PRODUCTS

Farm Implements 23

FOR SALE—John Deere, 2 14-inch tractor plow. Phone 20291.

Hay-Grain-Feed 26

FOR SALE—150 bales of dry straw. Phone 4352, Bloomington.

FOR SALE

Just received a quantity of 7-foot Steel Line Fence Posts

These are no culls

No Inflationary Price

WILSON'S HARDWARE

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FOR SALE

Allis Chalmers tractor, rubber and steel wheels, power-lift cultivator, one John Deere No. 52 breaking plow, almost new, McCormick Big 6 mower, Oliver corn planter, flat bed wagon with wood wheels. John Deere 7-ft. disc harrow.

ROBERT BROOKOVER

Phone 53X8, Greenfield

Livestock For Sale 27

FOR SALE—6 head of draft horses. FAIRGROUNDS.

300 HEAD of Western White Faced stock calves, steers and heifers. These cattle can be seen at Union Stockyards. Phone 2232 or inquire of W. R. GREENGO, Cherry Hotel.

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FOR SALE—25 horses at private sale, mostly draft. OS BRIGGS, Arlington Hotel, Washington C. H.

FOR SALE—Purebred Hampshire boars and Guernsey bull calves. HARDIN FARM. Phone 20498.

Poultry-Eggs-Supplies 28

FOR SALE

200 R. 1 Red chicks, one week old. 250 Barred Rock chicks, 10 days old. 250 White Rocks, two weeks old. Day old chicks every Tuesday.

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PAVEY'S

Phone 1593 Leesburg, O.

Pre-war population of Kwajalein atoll in the Marshalls was about 1,000.

FINANCIAL

Public Sales 31

NOTICE

I will hold a PUBLIC SALE

Of Used Furniture

in room next door to Hidy's Market on Main St., Jeffersonville.

March 11 at 1 P. M. Auct., A. C. FANNIN.

MISCELLANEOUS

Household Goods 35

FOR SALE—White enamel gas table model range stove, good as new. Phone 5351.

Spring-filled living room suite, cedar chests, breakfast chests, bedroom suites.

All Kind of Household Furniture

The Ohio Furniture Co. (Formerly Shaffer Store)

Across from Post Office

Kenneth Pitzer

Greenfield, O.

PUBLIC SALES

THURSDAY, MARCH 9

O. E. BUMGARDNER—Closing Out Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment at the intersection of State Routes 56 and 104, 4 miles west of Circleville.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10

LEO ANDERSON—Sale of Farm Equipment and Livestock on the Clark Hunsicker Farm at Woodlyn, 1 mile south of Williamsport, 12 o'clock.

C. G. Chalfin, auctioneer.

GEORGE S. BALDRIDGE—Sale of Farm Machinery and Livestock, between Rainsboro and Bainbridge on the Anderson Road, 1/4 mile north of Route 60.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, MARCH 14

C. E. TUCKER—Two farms consisting of 125 acres and 75 acres. Sell at 1 P. M. Large personal property sale starts at 10 A. M. Located 4 miles south of New Vienna and 6 miles north of Hillsboro on road leading from State Route 73 to Carey town Road.

Sale conducted by The Bailey-Murphy Co.

CHARLES VALLERY—Closing Out Sale of Farm Equipment and Livestock, 2 miles east of Valley.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, MARCH 21

G. H. ADKINS—Sale of Farm Equipment and Livestock on Williamsport and Chillicothe Pike, 4 miles south of Williamsport.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22

FLORENCE SHOE—Administrative Sale of Farm Equipment and Livestock, being the estate of W. O. Bumgarner.

Give More - - in Forty-four

RENTALS

Apartment For Rent 41

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Adults only. 324 W. Court Street.

Rooms For Rent 43

FOR RENT—Sleeping room in private home, 518 South Fayette Street.

FOR RENT—2 large rooms and bath unfurnished, gas and electric furnished. 813 Lakeview or phone 22742.

SLEEPING ROOM. 216 East Paint Street.

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Boy for Good Paying Route on Leesburg Avenue

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RECORD-HERALD

CLOSING OUT

PUBLIC SALE!

I will offer for sale at public auction on the Clark Hunsicker farm at Woodlyn, 1 mile south of Williamsport, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1944

Commencing promptly at 12 o'clock, my entire lot of chattels, consisting in part of the following:

2—HORSES—2

One gelding, 12 years old, wt. 1500 lbs.; 1 brown mare, 11 years old, wt. 1600 lbs. Both of above horses are sound and good workers.

5—CATTLE—5

One white cow, 7 years old; 1 white cow, 5 years old; 1 Guernsey cow, 7 years old; 1 Guernsey cow, 5 years old; 1 Guernsey cow, 3 years old. All above cows have freshened recently and are giving good flow of milk.

12—HOGS—12

Twelve shoats, weight about 150 lbs.

77—SHEEP—77

75 head of ewes to lamb in April. Two pure-bred Shropshire bucks.

FEED AND SEED

Fifteen tons of alfalfa hay, baled; 2 bushels hybrid seed corn, 939; 1 1/2 bu. red clover seed; 1/2 bushel timothy seed.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

One Farmall F-14 tractor on rubber; 1 Farmall tractor cultivator; Oliver tractor breaking plow, 2-12 in.; 1 McCormick double disc harrow; 1 Black Hawk corn planter with fertilizer attachment and 80 rods wire; 1 Hoosier 10x8 wheat drill; 1 Moline mowing machine; 1 Dunham cultipacker; 1 Dunham rotary hoe; 1 McCormick-Deering manure spreader; 1 walking breaking plow; 1 wagon with ladders; 1 wagon with bed; 1 5-tooth cultivator; 1 12-ft. feed sled; 1 10-ft. feed sled; 1 water tank; 1 4-horse Smidley hog feeder; 1 wheelbarrow; 2 hog houses; 100-gal. hog fountain with heater; 50-gal. oil drum; 1/4 h. p. gasoline engine; 1 grind stone; 1 pump jack; 2 rolls hog fence; 1 roll barbed wire; 1 tank heater; 3-gal. water fountain with heater; 1 hand corn sheller; lot of butchering tools; 2 10-gal. milk cans; 1 5-gal. milk can; 1 2-horse Smidley hog feeder; 1 complete set breeching harness; 1 25-ft. extension ladder; shovels, forks, and other articles too numerous to mention. Some household goods.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

LEO ANDERSON

C. G. Chalfin, Auct. Lunch H. W. Campbell, Clerk

Houses For Rent 45

FOR RENT—Four room furnished house. Inquire 622 Eastern Avenue. No children wanted.

REAL ESTATE

Business Property 48

SEE ANDY GIDDING for farms or city property. 114 West Market Street. Phone 4731.

Farms For Sale 49

FARM FOR SALE—125 acres, 7-room house, barn, two car garage, cribs, coal shed, poultry house, electricity, 14 ACRES fertile soil, five room house in good condition, barn and other out-buildings, electric, near main highway, three miles out.

125 ACRES gently rolling mostly tillable, three room house, large attic, fruit cellar, ample shed room, good fences, drilled well and springs, electric, twelve miles out. This farm priced at sixty dollars per acre for quick sale. All immediate possession. THOMAS P. CLANCY, 62 East Paint Street.

FOR SALE—14 acres, 2 1/2 miles from town, 5 room house, electricity, new paint, new roof, good barn, cellar, house, garage, elctern and well water, good land, possession at once. Call 6912 after 7 P. M.

50 FAYETTE COUNTY farms from 2 to 500 acres and 200 farms in adjoining counties. These are all extra good farms, come and see for yourself. Also 5, modern five and six room houses and many other residence properties. BEN JAMISON

Shobe deceased, at the residence 3/4 mile south of Madison Mills on the Yanketown Pike across from the cemetery, 12 o'clock. M. W. Eekle, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

MRS. J. C. HUGHES—Closing Out Sale of Farm Equipment and Livestock, 5 miles southeast of Washington C. H. on Bogus Road, 12 o'clock. M. W. Eekle, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29

J. W. HOPKINS—Closing Out Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, 2 1/2 miles south of Madison Mills on the Post Road, 1 P. M. M. W. Eekle, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, MARCH 30

DAMON DEIBER—Closing Out Sale of Livestock, Farm Equipment and Household Goods, just south of the corporation line of Washington C. H. on Route 35, opposite API, 12:30. W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

Radio Programs

WEDNESDAY

6:00—W.L.W. Big Sister WKRC, News

6:15—W.L.W. Hearts in Harmony WKRC, Walter Hoyt, Sports

6:30—W.L.W. Lum and Abner WKRC, Lum and Abner

6:45—W.L.W. Lowell Thomas, News WKRC, News

7:00—W.L.W. Fred Waring WKRC, Fred Waring

7:15—W.L.W. I Love a Mystery WKRC, News

7:30—W.L.W. Lion Roars WKRC, News

7:45—W.L.W. Easy Aces WKRC, News

7:55—W.L.W. H. V. Kaitenborn, News WKRC, News

8:00—W.L.W. Mr. and Mrs. North WKRC, Mr. and Mrs. North

8:15—WKRC, Everybody's Inn

8:30—WKRC, Orchestra

8:45—W.L.W. Eddie Cantor WKRC, Eddie Cantor

9:00—W.L.W. Gabriel Heatter WKRC, Gabriel Heatter

9:15—W.L.W. Mayor of Town WKRC, Mayor of Town

9:30—W.L.W. Grace Fields WKRC, Grace Fields

9:45—W.L.W. Mr. District Attorney WKRC, Mr. District Attorney

10:00—W.L.W. Jack Carson Show WKRC, Jack Carson Show

10:15—W.L.W. Kay Kyser WKRC, Kay Kyser

10:30—WKRC, Fulton Lewis, Jr. WKRC, Fulton Lewis, Jr.

10:45—WKRC, CBS Carnival; Orch. WKRC, CBS Carnival; Orch.

11:00—WKRC, Rhythm Roundup WKRC, Rhythm Roundup

11:15—W.L.W. News WKRC, News

11:30—W.L.W. Vic and Sada WKRC, Vic and Sada

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COLLETT TRIAL SCENE SHIFTED TO WILMINGTON

Testimony of Defendant's Physician Is Taken From Her Sick-bed

(Special to the Record-Herald) WILMINGTON, March 8.—Sitting up in bed at her home on Columbus Street yesterday afternoon, Dr. Elizabeth Shrieves, Wilmington's only woman physician, helped to establish another precedent in the trial of James W. Collett in Washington C. H., on charges of first degree murder for the alleged killing of the McCoy family, by giving her testimony from her bed.

For several weeks and expecting to enter a hospital again Friday, Dr. Shrieves answered questions put by the attorneys for Collett concerning treatment she had given Collett in past years for various illnesses. There was no cross examination by attorneys for the state. The testimony given by Dr. Shrieves was scheduled to be read into the record of the trial Wednesday at the start of the defense's case.

While the Fayette County court stenographer took down the statements, James N. Linton, Charles R. Kirk and Allan Smith, attorneys for Collett, questioned Dr. Shrieves for approximately 25 minutes.

The three defense attorneys came to Wilmington in Attorney Smith's car after court was adjourned at Washington C. H. Tuesday afternoon. They arrived about 3:30 P. M. and within less than an hour the entire group that came to Wilmington in three cars had left for Washington C. H. with the testimony.

The defense attorneys arrived before the other persons and conferred with Dr. Shrieves, who was reported as looking rather frail although apparently she suffered no ill effects from giving the testimony, which differed from a deposition in that the entire court, with the exception of the jury, was present. In requesting this method of taking testimony in a county other than the one in which the trial is being conducted, Attorney Linton said he knew of only one other case in which this had been done, and that was in a federal court.

Frank Grubbs, Fayette County deputy sheriff, brought James W. Collett to Wilmington for the testimony and the three state attorneys, Prosecutor John B. Hill, Simon Leis and Charles S. Hire, together with Judge H. M. Rankin and the court stenographer, came in a third car.

Linton returned to Washington C. H. with Deputy Grubbs and Collett after the testimony had been completed.

First precedent for Ohio courts was set when Collett was tried for all three murders and the second one when Judge Rankin heard testimony for a day and a half before permitting the state to mention the alleged confession of Collett to killing Elmer McCoy.

Funeral services for Asa Larkin Tuesday were held at the Kleeve Funeral Home Tuesday at 2 P. M. Rev. Frank Milner of Leesburg was in charge of the service, reading the scripture, offering prayer and delivering the sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Laris Hard sang the three hymns, "The Old Rugged Cross," "Sometime We'll Understand" and "Rock of Ages" with Mrs. Joseph Cross at the piano.

Burial was made in the Washington C. H. cemetery. Pallbearers were W. E. Knedler, Cleo Wilson, J. B. Wain, Clifford McKinney, Lester Smith and Charles Larkin.

TWO FUNERAL SERVICES FOR OTIS YOAKEM FRIDAY Funeral services for Otis E. Yoakem will be held Friday at 12 noon at his late residence in Good Hope. Rev. F. M. Moon will be in charge of the service.

Final funeral services will be Friday at 2 P. M. at the Church of Christ in Christian Union in Morgantown. Rev. James Sylvester will be in charge of those services. Burial will be in Morgantown Cemetery under the direction of Cox and Parrett.

MRS. LORA DUFF DIES IN COLUMBUS HOSPITAL

Mrs. Lora Duff, 73, a native of the South Solon community where she leaves a large family connection, died in Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Tuesday, following an illness of two weeks, according to word received there.

Funeral services will be held in the Methodist Church in South Solon at 2:30 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, and burial is to be in the cemetery there.

She is survived by her husband, Oris Duff, and one son, Edwin Duff, of Columbus. She also leaves six sisters, Mrs. Emma Duff, Miss Elva Gossard, Mrs. Ida Kiever and Mrs. Grace Hartman, all of the South Solon community, and Mrs. Blanche Vent and Mrs. Osa Rowe, both of Columbus and a brother, John Gossard.

B. L. STRADLEY IS SPEAKER AT ROTARY CLUB

OSU Vice President Tells How Boy Scout Work Helps Soldiers

"Most of the men in the armed forces who have received citations have had leadership experience with the Boy Scouts," Dr. Bland L. Stradley told Rotarians and guests at their Tuesday luncheon meeting at the Country Club.



Dr. B. L. Stradley

Dr. Stradley, second vice-president of Ohio State University, less than a week ago took office as president of the Central Ohio Council of the Boy Scouts. He is dean of the college of arts and sciences at OSU as well.

Termed an interesting and human speaker, Dr. Stradley described his experiences in dealing with young people.

Guests at the meeting were Les Butcher, Boy Scout executive from Columbus, Walter Rettig, Fayette County Boy Scout chairman, Earl Henderson, scoutmaster of the Grace Methodist Church, troop and Paul Hirt, Sr., assistant scoutmaster of the Rotary Troop.

Rev. John K. Abernethy, scoutmaster of the Rotary Club troop, introduced the speaker.

Warren Seney Miller, 75, died at his home in Frankfort, Monday at 11:45 P. M.

He is survived by his widow, Rena, one daughter, Mrs. Homer Wilson of Good Hope, one son, Robert in the army overseas and one brother, David, of Columbus. A daughter and a son preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be Thursday at 2:30 P. M. in the Frankfort Methodist Church. Rev. C. E. Jeffers will be in charge of the services. Burial will be in Green Lawn cemetery in Frankfort. Friends may call at the Fisher Funeral Home at any time.

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THREE INDUCTED AT GRANGE RITE AT GOOD HOPE

Expansion of Membership Planned Through Committee

Obligations were given C. F. Lucas, Charles Wright and Mrs. Cecil Dixon at the Good Hope Grange meeting Tuesday night. E. N. Eckles, a former master of the grange, administered the first and second obligations and E. N. Sollars, another former master, gave the third and fourth obligations.

Ralph Nisley, former county deputy, spoke briefly about the coming Red Cross War Fund drive, asking the support of the grange. Mrs. Loren Hynes, chairman of the county home economics committee, told of the cookie baking and waste fat salvage projects of the committees this year.

In cooperation with the grange's membership program—the goal is for each family to get one new member—a committee, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Britton, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Sollars and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Johnson, was appointed to expand the membership drive.

Mrs. E. N. Sollars, Mrs. Loren Johnson, Mrs. Tom Braden, Mrs. Wilbur Hoppes and Mrs. Homer Rea, served cake, jello and coffee at the end of the meeting.

The committee for the next meeting is Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Eckle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garrison, Miss Minta Rowland and Miss Clara Rowland.

WORLD PARISH DAY WILL BE OBSERVED

Sugar Creek Baptist Church Plans All-day Meeting

Sugar Creek Baptist Church on the Jamestown Pike will observe the World Parish Day, a national project of the Northern Baptist Convention, Sunday.

Rev. McDermott, of Granville, state supervisor of rural and small town churches in Ohio, will be the speaker at the all-day program.

A basket dinner will be held at noon at the church. Members are to bring their own table service.

Sunday school will be at 10 A. M., worship service at 11 A. M. and a third service at 1:30 P. M. Rev. McDermott will speak at both morning and afternoon worship hours.

SHILTZ FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD TUESDAY 2 P. M.

Funeral services for Mrs. Cameron Shiltz were held Tuesday at 2 P. M. in the Jeffersonville House of Prayer. Rev. Henry Leeth of Washington C. H., was in charge of the services, reading an obituary prepared by the family.

Mrs. Gladys Sibole and Miss Mildred Young sang the three hymns, "Will the Circle Be Unbroken," "Good Night and Good Morning" and "The Last Mile of the Way," with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Lydia Rumer.

The many flowers at the large attended funeral services were attended by Mrs. Mildred Shiltz, Mrs. Peggy Shiltz, Mrs. Judy Duncan, Mrs. Doris Duncan, Miss Jane Duncan, Mrs. Ada Matson, Miss Betty Shiltz, Mrs. Clara Asher, Mrs. Betty Reynolds and Mrs. Armetha Bowermaster.

Pallbearers were Joseph, Wade, William, Tom, Edward and Eliza Duncan. Burial was made in the Jeffersonville Fairview Cemetery under the direction of the Morrow Funeral Home.

Flying Fortress bombers can climb to altitude of 40,000 feet.

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PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE I will sell at public auction, at the south door of the Court House, on SATURDAY, MARCH 11th At 2 o'clock, the following real estate: 107 1/2 acres, 2 1/2 miles west of New Holland—what is known as the Turner farm. See full description of land in Record-Herald of March 1st. Said premises are appraised at \$11,000 and must be sold for not less than two-thirds of said appraised value, upon the following terms, to-wit: CASH IN HAND. DOROTHY M. TURNER, Admx. Of the Estate of Orville A. Turner E. L. Bush, Atty.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



Fayette County Boys With Armed Forces

Cpl. Virgil Lowe of Ft. Sill, Okla., is at his home here to spend a 10 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lowe and other relatives.

Pfc. Woodrow Shipley has returned to Camp Roberts, Calif. after spending a 15 day furlough with his wife and his mother, Mrs. Mollie Shipley, here and in New Holland.

Ralph Irons, seaman second class, of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., is spending a 12 day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Irons, upon completing his boot training.

James H. DeWeese, petty officer second class of the Navy Fleet Patrol, is now at his home here with his mother, Mrs. Edith Freshour, 107 N. North St., to spend a 14 day leave. He has served with the navy for three years.

Mr. Henry Litz is today in Cleveland awaiting assignment to an active duty station after volunteering for duty in the Army Engineering Corps there. He was accepted for duty Tuesday and is now in Cleveland awaiting his assignment after passing all the examinations.

Ensign Robert Brubaker, husband of the former Betty Brock of this city, is in Miami, Fla., where he is taking two months special submarine chaser schooling. His wife and son, John Andrick, are at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Brock.

Casein Paint advertisement with image of a paint can and text: Nine Modern Colors! CASEIN PAINT 5 lbs. 75¢ One coat covers... leaves no brush marks... mixes with water. Ideal for basements, recreation rooms or closets. Dries in an hour—won't rub off. Barnhart Oil Co. Corner Market and North Phone 2550

FARMERS! We are now contracting... Pea and Corn Acreage For 1944 Food Crops With the following prices approved by the government: PEAS First Grade \$84.50 per ton Second Grade \$74.50 per ton Third Grade \$64.50 per ton Fourth Grade \$59.50 per ton CORN We Will Pack But One Type of Corn HYBRID EVERGREEN VARIETY A Big Type, Large Yielding Corn The Government Established Price Will Be \$16.00 Per Ton RAISE PROFITABLE CROPS FOR THE ARMED FORCES! We would appreciate your early booking and also to have you call us by phone and our field representative will visit you. Please call HARRY HYER Day — Phone 5561 — Evening — Phone 8564 Ladoga Canning Co.

PRE-INDUCTION TESTS GIVEN TO 92 SELECTS

Men from All Walks of Life Make Up Last Contingent

Fayette County men from all walks of life formed the latest contingent of 92 men sent to Columbus for pre-induction tests, Wednesday morning.

The men assembled at the Selective Service Board office at 6:30 A. M. and left in three chartered buses around 7 A. M. Dearl Baptist, Milbourne Flee and Cloyd Musser were named leaders, each one having charge of the group on a bus.

The 92 men included many fathers, and ranged in age from 20 to 36 years. It was regarded one of the best appearing contingents sent

in recent months, with indications that at least two-thirds would be accepted for military service.

It will be some three weeks and possibly several weeks before those who pass the tests will be sent to some induction center for the beginning of their training.

MRS. M. E. PICKERING IS CALLED BY DEATH

Funeral Services Will Be Saturday Afternoon

Mrs. Mary E. Pickering, 86, died Tuesday at the home of her niece, Mrs. Effie Kearney at Marengo. She was the widow of Harry Pickering.

Besides Mrs. Kearney, she leaves one other niece, Mrs. Beecher Limle, of Columbus.

Mrs. Pickering was a member of the First Presbyterian Church here.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 1:30 P. M. in the Kleeve Funeral Home. Burial will be in the Washington C. H. cemetery.

MRS. HARVEY E. DAVIS DIES IN COLUMBUS

Funeral Services Will Be Friday Afternoon

Mrs. Harvey E. Davis, 60, died Tuesday morning at her home, 189 West Park Avenue in Columbus. Mrs. Davis, a former resident of Bainbridge, had lived in Columbus for about five months. She was born in Bloomingburg.

She is survived by her husband and one brother, Clark Durlinger, of Yatesville.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 P. M. in the Yatesville Methodist Church with Rev. J. H. Baughn and Rev. Russell Nisley in charge. Burial will be in the family lot of the Bloomingburg Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Struene Funeral Home in Greenfield until Thursday noon, when the body will be moved to the home of Clark Durlinger until an hour before the funeral.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

Large advertisement for DOWNTOWN Cut Rate DRUGS. Features various products and prices: 60c SIZE KREML SHAMPOO 49c, 1.25 SIZE SERUTAN LAZATIVE 97c, PKG. 5 GEM BLADES SINGLE EDGE 23c, 25c CARPER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS 19c, 75c DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS 46c, 35c GROVES GOLD TABLETS 27c, 25c ANACIN TABLETS 19c, 15c BAYER ASPIRIN GENUINE 12c, 25c CHOCOLATE EX-LAX 19c, 35c SIZE DR. SCHOLL ZINC PADS FOR CORNS 31c, 1.00 JAR IRONIZED YEAST 79c, 30c COLD TABLETS 23c, LIFEBOUY HEALTH SOAP 2 for 13c, BAUME BENGUE 75c SIZE 59c, 60c REM FOR COUGHS 49c, CAROID & BILE TABLETS 88c, 1.00 JAR MAX FACTOR'S Pan-Cake Make-Up \$1.50, 25c BLUE JAY CORN PLASTERS 23c, 80c HINKLE PILLS 11c, 30c OLIVE TABLETS 24c, 1.00 JAR U.S.P. MILK OF MAGNESIA 31c, VICK'S VAPORUB 27c, JERGEN'S LOTION 50c SIZE 39c, HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES 19c, EPSOM SALTS 5 lb. BAG 19c, 1.00 JAR IRONIZED YEAST 79c, 30c COLD TABLETS 23c, LIFEBOUY HEALTH SOAP 2 for 13c, BAUME BENGUE 75c SIZE 59c, 60c REM FOR COUGHS 49c, CAROID & BILE TABLETS 88c, 1.00 JAR MAX FACTOR'S Pan-Cake Make-Up \$1.50, 25c BLUE JAY CORN PLASTERS 23c, 80c HINKLE PILLS 11c, 30c OLIVE TABLETS 24c, 1.00 JAR U.S.P. MILK OF MAGNESIA 31c, VICK'S VAPORUB 27c, JERGEN'S LOTION 50c SIZE 39c, HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES 19c, EPSOM SALTS 5 lb. BAG 19c.